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GREAT SACRIFICE SALE

For Cash Only,

TO REDUCE THEIR STOCK ON ACCOUNT OF

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Suits, Overcoats Hats and Furnishing Goods.

We will sell you Overcoats, Underwear, etc, at 25 per cent less than you can possibly buy elsewhere. This is a STRICTLY LEGITIMATE REDUCTION SALE. The stock must be reduced, and we will make prices so LOW that you can afford to buy a first-class Suit, Overcoat or Hat for a small amount of money.

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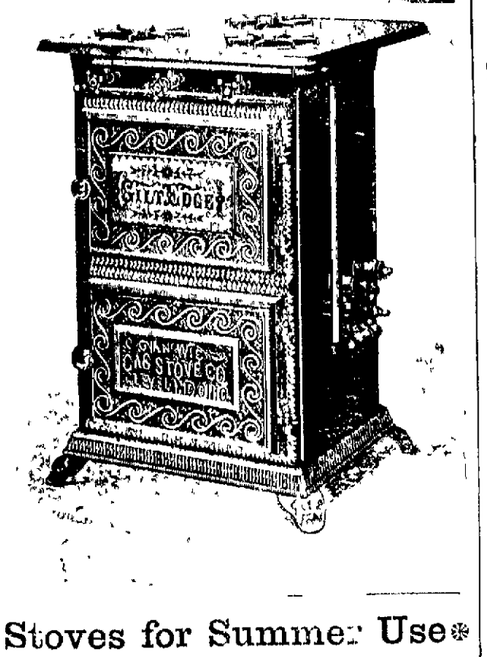
GAS, $1.50 PER 1,000 FEET.



Gas Stoves for Summer Use

Are rapidly displacing Wood, Coal and Gasoline for cooking purposes. No bringing of coal nor wood, no ashes, no dust, always ready and PERFECTLY SAFE. Meals can be cooked in shorter time, and with less annoyance from heat, than by any other method. Where used they have given perfect satisfaction, cost no greater than that of an ordinary wood stove. Ladies who have used them declare that they are a long step in advance of all other methods, especially in Summer, and that they COULD NOT KEEP HOUSE WITHOUT ONE.

The Gas Company proposes to make a

NET PRICE OF $1.50 PER THOUSAND FEET,

From May 1 to Oct 1 to ALL PERSONS USING FOR COOKING PURPOSES.

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Supt of Decatur Gaslight and Coke Co

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Yours Truly MRS. HENRY ELWOOD.

Mr R J Stratton, Supt. *Dear Sir* I want to say to you that the gas stove you furnished to me last Summer is much more satisfactory than I had hoped for. I can do every kind of cooking with it, and the regularity of the heat gives better results than any other stove. I should not desire to keep house without it.
MRS. FRANK H. HALL.

R J Stratton, Supt. *Dear Sir* I have to use one of your Gas Cooking Ranges and as a matter of convenience and comfort it is unsurpassed, and as all you claim for it—gas costing about the same as oil or coal.
Yours Respectfully, MRS. WM. PLUCK.

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THE DECATUR CARPET FACTORY manufactures all kinds of RAG AND CHAIN CARPETS.

Having arrangements with the largest Wholesale Carpet House in Chicago to represent their goods in this place, we have secured a line of Samples, *all the Latest Styles of the season*.

We are now prepared to sell better goods than ever offered here, from the cheapest grades to the very finest.

We Furnish every Carpet bright and fresh, you get no old, hard shop worn ends.

We have most Carpets cut without waste you need only what you require for a place.

We have a very large variety, you can select what you want.

We have no expense carrying stock, the room will give our customers the benefit of low prices.

All Samples are cut from the rolls, so the goods will always compare in quality and pattern.

☞ If you are in a hurry we will surprise you how quick we get orders filled.

Brussels Carpet from 17½c up. Carpet Chain for sale.

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Magazines and all kinds of books bound and repaired.
Telescope Boxes made to order.
Names stamped in gold on books, pocket books, toilet cases, etc.
Numbering tickets, checks, etc.

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Oct 30 d6m

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Fire-Proof Safes, Iron and Wood Pumps, Garden Seeds, Grapevines, &c.

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With Ayer's Hair Vigor. Its cleanliness, beneficial effects on the scalp, and lasting perfume commend it for universal toilet use. It keeps the hair soft and silken, preserves its color, prevents it from falling, and if the hair has become weak or thin, promotes a new growth.

"In order to restore the original color of my hair, which had turned prematurely gray, I used Ayer's Hair Vigor, with entire success. I cheerfully testify to the

Efficacy

of this preparation."—Mrs. P. H. Davidson, Alexandria, La.

"I was afflicted some three years with scalp disease. My hair was falling out and what remained turned gray. I was induced to try Ayer's Hair Vigor, and in a few weeks the disease in my scalp disappeared, and my hair resumed its original color."—(Rev.) S. S. Sims, Pastor U. B. Church, St. Bramlet, Ind.

"A few years ago I suffered the entire loss of my hair from the effects of fever. I hoped that after a time nature would repair the loss, but I waited in vain. Many remedies were suggested, none however, with such proof of merit as Ayer's Hair Vigor, and I began to use it. The result was all I could have desired. A growth of hair soon came out all over my head, and grew to be as soft and heavy as I ever had, and of a natural color, *and firmly set*." J. H. Pratt, Spofford, Texas.

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Our little girl when but three weeks old broke out with eczema. We tried the prescription of some good doctors but without any special benefit. We tried S S S and by the time one bottle was gone her head began to heal, and by the time she had taken six bottles she was completely cured. She has a full and heavy head of hair—is robust, healthy child. I feel it my duty to make this statement. H. H. STORY, Rich Hill, Mo.

☞ Send for our Book on Blood and Skin Diseases and Advice to Sufferers, mailed free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

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SILK GLOVES!

Ladies' Black Taffeta Silk Gloves,	15c a pair
" " Pure " " "	25c "
" " " " "	33c "
" " " " "	37½c pair
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We would call particular attention to our PATENT FINGER-TIPPED SILK GLOVES. They are Warranted not to wear out at the finger ends.

Misses' and Children's Silk Gloves in Black and Colors.

150 dozen Misses' Pure Silk Gloves, in all the latest shades, sizes from 3 to 6. This lot is an exceptional bargain at 25c a pair; goods no better have been sold for 50c a pair—our price, 25c a pair.

We have just received our second shipment of

SUN UMBRELLAS

As Black is the only color recognized by Fashion, the whole choice lies in the Handles. We have an extremely well selected stock, and at Very Low Prices. We have them in Long and Short Handles, Silver Sticks, Gold Caps, Crooks and Crosses.

24-inch Silk Shade, Long Silver Handle,	$2.25
24-inch " " " " "	$2.50
26-inch " " " " "	$2.75
24-inch " " Gold Cap, Diamond Frame,	$1

Swiss Embroidered Flouncing and BABY CAPS, in great variety, at Low Prices.

WALKER, THOMSON & CO.,

BOSTON STORE.

SOME SUPERSTITIONS.

A FEW OF THE POPULAR FEARS, FANCIES AND FAIRY TALES.

Didn't Believe in Ghosts, but Afraid of Them—Things Worn and Carried to Prevent Disease—Unlucky to Go Under a Ladder—In and Out the Same Door.

The probable truth is that there is not one of The Globe's readers who does not at least half believe in some superstition. Somewhere in your lives you have a little private closet where you keep one or more pet superstitions locked up out of sight of your friends, and, for the most part, out of your own sight. But now and then you unlock the door, or they get out through the keyhole; then they look at you in the twilight with their weird eyes, full of the mystery of the past, and you find yourself on your knees before them. Perhaps you are half ashamed of them, because you do not more than half believe in them, but when they get you alone they master you. You are like Mme de Stael. A friend said to her one day, "Do you believe in ghosts?" "No," she replied, "but I am afraid of them, though."

A LONESOME LADY.

Col Ingersoll dedicated his first volume of lectures to "Eva A. Ingersoll, a woman without superstition." In the early mining days in California, when selfish rascality seemed to be the rule, an old miner who had been repeatedly "fleeced" was very much astonished at the remarkable honesty of a young man who had just paid back some money which had been given him by mistake. Thinking he could not have many companions in such deeds the old man stepped up to him, laid his hand on his shoulder and said, "Stranger, don't you find yourself awfully lonesome about these parts?" So I have often thought that if Mrs Ingersoll is really altogether "without superstition," she must sometimes find herself "awfully lonesome."

I remember, when a boy, that one of my brothers used to wear about his neck a red woolen cord to prevent the nosebleed. The only thing clear in my mind on the subject was that it did not prevent it. At any rate it used to bleed very often, while the rest of us who did not wear one, were never troubled at all, except in those cases that all who have been boys will understand, where a post, or the ice in skating or a snowball, or some other boy's fist came in somewhat violent contact with the most prominent feature of our faces. I suppose, however, that there was some fanciful connection between the red of the string and the red of the blood, and an incipient homeopathy suggested that "like would cure like."

I also remember, when a child, how some of the larger boys used to carry about a horse chestnut in their pockets as a preventive of rheumatism. This is one of the mysteries I have never fathomed. Only it does seem a willful perversity for people to suffer so just to save the trouble of carrying a horse chestnut. Just as it seems pure malice in any one ever to do when one looks through an apothecary shop, reads the advertisements in the newspapers, or knows how Dr Collins cures people by simply praying for them, and then telling them they are well.

WHAT BAD DREAMS MEAN.

A friend told me the other day that when a boy he always felt it incumbent on him to spit three times whenever he saw a dead cat. The origin of this I will not stop now to trace.

Not long since a lady acquaintance was walking along the street with a friend, when she suddenly felt herself pulled off the sidewalk into the street. The occasion of this sudden maneuver, was the oth r lady's superstitious fear of walking under a ladder that leaned against the wall in front of them. I have learned that this superstition is very common—and, perhaps it is not worth my while to disturb it. For it might be decidedly "unlucky" to walk under a ladder—provided a man weighing 200 was on it and it should slip or in case an unsteady man with a "drop too much" should indulge in a further drop too much of a loose flying brick from his hod. Though in the case of the colored brother, who stood serene while the brick lay in fragments at his feet, and who merely exclaimed, "Look out, dat! If yo' doan't want yo' bricks broke jes' keep 'em off o' dis chile's head!" it was only the brick that was "unlucky."

I have an old acquaintance in Maine who used to stick his jackknife in the headboard on going to bed to prevent his having the cramp. That is the sole instance of that sublime faith with which I am acquainted. But I have known of people who warded off the same uncomfortable nightly visitant by scrupulously arranging their slippers bottom up at the foot of their bed.

A lady not long since went into a jewelry store. Being it recess it opened on two streets. When she started to go out the sale man said, "Madam! you have forgotten." "Why what!" said she, thinking of purchase or purse. "But you came in at the other door," he replied. Then it flashed over her, and though she went on her way, she remembered that it was "unlucky" to enter by one door and go out by another. However it may be about other places, I am really inclined to think that it is unlucky for a lady to go into a jewelry store, no matter which door she goes out of, unlucky for the man who has to pay the bills.

Then, again, it is unlucky to have a bad dream three nights running. This is one of the signs that I believe in thoroughly. "Aha!" you say, "then you, too, are superstitious as well as the rest of us?" Yes, I believe it is very unlucky to have a bad dream—even one night. It is a sign that your supper didn't set well, and also that you will not feel nearly so well the next morning. And if you allow it to trouble you the next day it is another bad sign—a sign that you won't sleep so well the next night, and also a sign that you have not yet outgrown the fanciful dreams of the world's childhood.—Dr Savage in Boston Globe.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malaria fevers.—For cure of Headache, Consumption and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and $1.00 per bottle at Dr. A. J. Stoner's Drug Store. 5m

Boys' Jersey Suits at Stine's. dtf

Jerrold's Joke.

The familiar inquiry, "Is it true that the first apple was eaten by the first pair?" is far fetched, but one cannot deny the humor of it. Again, in the conundrum, "Why is blindman's buff like sympathy?" "Because it is a fellow feeling for a fellow creature," there is a direct application which is also unquestionably humorous. Then, as another example of a pun which is absurdly apparent, there was Douglas Jerrold's remark about a man to whom he had repeatedly written in vain for some money. "I have written him," said Jerrold to an acquaintance, "but got nothing." "Strange," said the other, "for he is a man full of kindness." "Yes," rejoined Jerrold, "unremitting kindness."—All the Year Round.

Beecher's Country Place.

Boscobel, the country place of the late Henry Ward Beecher at Peekskill on the Hudson, has been sold to Mr Butler, of New York, for $75,000. The house cost Mr. Beecher $70,000, and he is said to have spent $200,000 on the grounds. The larger part of this sum was spent on trees. Mr Beecher planted over 8,000, including every variety native to the temperate zone. The whole place was subsoiled and drained, and his trees, which protected his garden from the northwest winds enabled him to have fruits and vegetables two or three weeks ahead of his neighbors.—Harper's Bazar.

THE man who called sarsaparilla a fraud, had good reason for he got hold of a worthless mixture at "reduced rates." He changed his opinion, however, when he began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It pays to be careful, when buying medicines.

Jenness Miller

Scientific system of dress for women and children. Patterns now on sale at
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Wall Paper, Curtains. Now is the time to buy new styles. Immense stock and low prices at Abel's Carpet House.
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NOVELTIES in Boys' Jersey Waists, at Stine's. dtf

BUGGIES, Surreys, Phetons, Spring Wagons, Road Carts and Farm Wagons, for sale at SPENCER & LEHMAN CO
Feb 28-d&wtf

LADIES' Imported Jackets, in new and handsome styles, at LINN & SCHUDES
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Keeps constantly on hand a large stock of SCOTCH AND AMERICAN GRANITE and MARBLE MONUMENTS, and a fine set of NEW DESIGNS to select from.

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Has made it necessary to double our former space, stock and assortment. We need hardly mention that THE LOWEST OF LOW PRICES, CONSISTENT WITH THE HIGHEST OF HIGH QUALITY will continue to be the leading feature.

We extend a cordial invitation to the ladies of Decatur and vicinity, and everybody in search of ARTISTIC MADE BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING to our

GRAND OPENING of SPRING STYLES.

We can assure you that we have by far THE LARGEST AND MOST COMPLETE ASSORTMENT to be found in Decatur, and the lightest and most convenient room to show them in.

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The Leader in Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing,

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GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Actually Worth All We Ask for the Following Goods:

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TABLE DAMASKS

In Cream, Bleached and Unbleached, Assorted in Lots, with Napkins to Match.

TABLE DAMASKS.

10 Pieces of 58c Extra Damask 54 and 56 inches wide, at 45c a yard; WORTH 65 cents.
12 Pieces of Bleached, Unbleached and Cream Damasks, 58 to 65 inches wide, at 50c a yard; WORTH 50 cents.
8 Pieces of Bleached and Cream Damask, 62 to 70 inches wide, at 65c a yard; WORTH 65 cents.
7 Pieces of Bleached Damask, 62 to 66 inches wide, at 75c a yard; WORTH 75 cts.
5 Pieces of Bleached and Cream Satin Finished Damask, 66 and 68 inches wide, at 88c a yard; WORTH 88 cents.
5 Pieces of Bleached Satin Damask, 68 inches wide, at $1; WORTH $1.
6 Pieces of Extra Fine Bleached Satin Damask, 68 inches wide, at $1 19; WORTH $1 25.
4 Pieces Double Faced Bleached Damask at $1 50 a yard.
120 Dozen of ⅝ and ¾ Napkins to match table linens in price and quality, at 65c, $1 00, $1 50, $1 69, $1 80 and $2 25, all well worth the price.

GLOVES AND MITTS.

Ladies' Black Lace Silk Mitts, at 15c a pair.
Ladies' Black Lace Mitts, heavy goods, at 19c.
Ladies' Jersey Silk Mitts, 11 inches long in Blacks, Tans and Operas, at 25c.
Ladies' Pure Silk Jersey Mitts, at 35c.
15-inch Pure Silk Jersey Mitts, in Blacks, Tans and Operas, 50c.
☞ Agents for Kayser's Patent Finger Tipped Silk Gloves, warranted not to wear out at the finger tips.

Curtains and Embroideries.

50 Pairs of Lace Curtains, taped all around, at 58c a pair.
50 Pairs of Ecru Taped Lace Curtains, at $1 a pair.
Cream Curtain Nets, 50 inches wide and taped, at 25c a yard.
Sacrifice Sale of all Colored Embroideries and Flouncings.
Colored Embroideries in Pinks, Blues, Blacks, Cardinals and Greys, 7 to 10 inches deep, at 5c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c 20c and 25c a yard. Prices made to close the lot.
40-inch Embroidered Colored Flouncing, at $1 25 and $1.50 a yard, just a closing out price.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., MAY 1, 1889.

ANOTHER centennial has come and gone. How old we're getting!

THE attendants at the Cook county insane hospital who stand accused of the murder of a patient, have been arrested and held to answer for the alleged crime.

IN the great parade at New York yesterday the military numbered about 40,000 men the largest ever seen since the grand review at Washington in 1865.

THE Illinois legislature has again taken up the humdrum business of life, after consigning ex-Speaker Haines to the grave and giving George Washington the benefit of their reverential homage.

CLEVELAND is now a New York lawyer, but we fail to find his name among the gentlemen who were honorably mentioned in connection with the celebration of yesterday. And yet, as the one of the three living successors of George Washington, what could have been more appropriate?

SOME paper has published a picture of George Washington, arrayed in the costume of the present day, and makes a good deal of sport over it. Now suppose somebody else should publish a picture of President Harrison, togged out in the costume of the first president frills, laces, silver buckles, silk stockings and queue, it would be just about as funny. "Sufficient to the day is the evil thereof."

CONGRESSMAN'S Cox's trip to the Dakotas and Montana may have no politics in it. Nevertheless Cox could give the Democrats a bigger lift there in a partisan sense than any other man they could select. The New Yorker took strong ground in favor of admission, and consequently he would be popular in the new States. Apart from Montana, however, that party won't not have the ghost of a chance of success, even with Cox's aid.

TO-DAY the order takes effect to place the railway mail service under the civil service rules. Therefore the Democratic clerks who have not resigned or been removed can breathe a little easier, in the belief that their official heads are safe, for a time at least. There will be a good many changes within the last month, doubtless for the benefit of the service. The horrible condition which the mail service had reached would warrant the removal of the whole outfit.

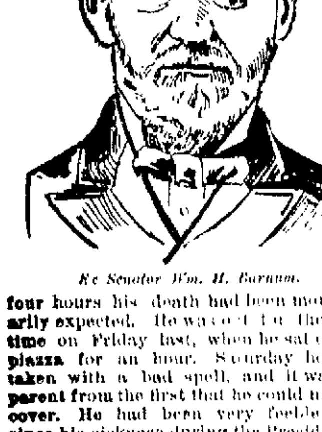
THE British flag stood a rather poor show in New York this week, especially when some foolish Englishman swung it above the stars and stripes, and still more especially when the Pennsylvania militia got sight of the emblem. The rage of the Pittsburgh soldiers at sight of the British flag shows how easy it is to awaken the innate memories of the average American on such an occasion, and while the act perpetrated by them is to be regretted it is hardly to be wondered at.

THE death of Hon. W. H. Barnum chairman of the National Democratic Central Committee, occurred at Limerock, Conn., yesterday. He was 70 years old and was best known to the country in the capacity above referred to. He was engaged in manufacturing, served once in the state legislature, was a delegate to the Union National Convention at Philadelphia in 1866, was sent to Congress as a Democrat the same year, and retained his seat by successive re-elections till 1876, in which year he was elected to the United States Senate to fill out the term of O. S. Ferry, deceased, ending March 4, 1879.

REPRESENTATIVE McKINLEY and several other Republican Congressmen declare that if the count of the population by the census of 1890 reaches the Fifty-first Congress as early as five or six weeks before the expiration of the term on March 4, 1889, an appointment based upon it will be made. No doubt the figures will be on hand in time. The totals of the enumeration of 1880 were before the Congress which was in existence when it was taken two months before the close of the term. If the men in charge of next year's count do as well as this the President will be elected in 1892 under conditions more favorable to the Republicans than those which prevailed in 1888.

Death of Hon. William H. Barnum.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 1. Hon. Wm. H. Barnum, chairman of the National Democratic committee, died at Lime Rock, at 9:45 a. m. yesterday. Mr. Barnum had been confined to his bed for two or three days, and for the last twenty-



Ex Senator Wm. H. Barnum.

four hours his death had been momentarily expected. He was out for the last time on Friday last, when he sat on the piazza for an hour. Saturday he was taken with a bad spell, and it was apparent from the first that he could not recover. He had been very feeble ever since his sickness during the Presidential campaign.

BASE-BALL.

Games Played Tuesday, April 30.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 6; Chicago, 5.
Pittsburgh—Pittsburghs, 11; Clevelands, 5.
Second Game—Pittsburghs, 6, Clevelands, 4.
Philadelphia—Philadelphias, 7; Bostons, 6.
New York—New Yorks, 9; Washingtons, 7.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Brooklyn—Baltimores, 5; Brooklyns, 3. **Second Game**—Brooklyns, 7, Baltimores, 2.
St. Louis—St. Louis, 3; Louisvilles, 2. **Second Game**—St. Louis, 0, Louisvilles, 1.
Kansas City—Kansas City, 8, Cincinnatis, 8.
Columbus—Columbus, 9; Athletics, 8.

Oklahoma or Bust.

We don't intend to do either, but we will sell you mattresses and bed springs so cheap that you can't help but buy, 106 Library block. Cox, Chamberlain & Co. apr.24-dtf.

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10000 yards French Sateens, handsome silks, of our own importation, just opened. LINN & SCRUGGS.

GALA GOTHAM.

The Inauguration Centennial Celebration Continued on a Magnificent Scale.

The Religious Ceremonies at Old St. Paul's, Where Washington Worshiped.

The Identical Bible Present on Which the First President Took the Oath of Office.

The Journey to the Sub-Treasury Building, Where the Literary Exercises Were Held.

Beautiful Poem by John G. Whittier and Eloquent Address by Chauncey Depew.

A Great Military Pageant, with Between Fifty and Sixty Thousand Men in Line,

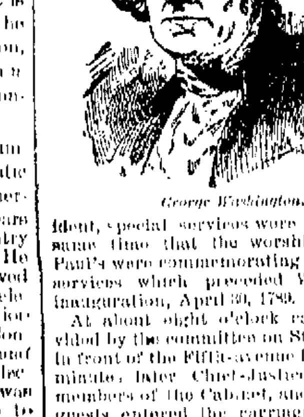
Detains the President in the Reviewing Stand for Six Long Hours.

A Thirty-Five Thousand-Dollar Banquet with the Grandest Menu Ever Served.

The Day in Other Cities—Its Observance General from Ocean to Ocean.

The Religious Observances.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Long before nine o'clock, the hour appointed for the special service of thanksgiving held at St. Paul's chapel, Broadway and Vesey street, the streets in the vicinity of the church were filled to overflowing with sight-seers eager to gain a glimpse of the President and his party as they came to attend the service and open the second day's observance of the Centennial celebration. In the various churches throughout the city, pursuant to the proclamation of the President,



George Washington.

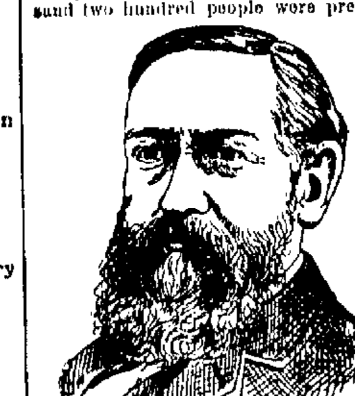
special services were held at the same time that the worshipers at St. Paul's were commemorating the religious services which preceded Washington's inauguration, April 30, 1789.

At about eight o'clock carriages provided by the committee on States drew up in front of the Fifth-avenue Hotel. A few minutes later Chief-Justice Fuller, the members of the Cabinet, and the invited guests entered the carriages, and were driven to No. 58 Fifth avenue, the residence of Vice-President Morton, whose guest the President is. Here the President and Vice-President were escorted by the committee to their respective carriages, and then, preceded by a platoon of mounted police, the procession started for St. Paul's chapel. Before it reached the chapel the crowd surrounding the Vesey-street entrance had increased to such proportions that it was with great difficulty the police could keep a way clear for the carriages of the guests, who had for some time been arriving.

At a little before nine o'clock every one who was fortunate enough to possess one of the precious lavender-colored tickets necessary for admission, had entered the historic old church and was awaiting the President's arrival. St. Paul's clock had but just tolled the hour of nine, when the Presidential party made its appearance. The committee of the vestry of Trinity church met President Harrison at the Vesey-street gate and escorted him to the west porch of the chapel, where the rector and full vestry of St. Paul's received him. The President was then escorted to the Washington pew on the north side of the chapel which he and his Cabinet occupied, the rest of the party being given seats near by.

The following committee on aisles conducted the President to his seat: David Augustus Clarkson, chairman, a descendant of Chancellor Livingston; Howland Pell, secretary, a descendant of John Pell; Hallett Alsop Borrowe, representing the Hallett and Alsop families; Temple Bowdoin, a descendant of General Alex Hamilton; Amory Sibley Carhart, a great-great-grandson of Major Cornelius Carhart and of Colonel Joseph Beavers, of the revolutionary army; Bayard Clarkson, a descendant of Chief-Justice Jay; John Langdon Erving, great-great-grandson of John Langdon; Dr. John Clarkson Jay, great-grandson of Chief-Justice John Jay; Edward A. Leroy, Jr., a descendant of Jacob Leroy; Philip L. Livingston; Edward de Peyster Livingston, a descendant of Chancellor Robert R. Livingston; Wm. Bard McVickar, a descendant of Samuel Bard; Richard McSolin Montgomery, a descendant of General Wm. Malcolm; Newbold Morris, great-great-grandson of Lewis Morris; Ludlow Ogden, representing the Ludlow and Ogden families; T. J. Oakley Rhinelander, great-grandson of Henry Cruger; Winthrop Rutherford, a descendant of Colonel John Rutherford; Wm. H. Russell, a descendant of the Alexander and Rutherford families; Samuel Auchmuty Tucker, a descendant of Rev. Dr. Samuel Auchmuty; Augustus Van Cordlandt, a decendant of August Van Cordlandt; Charles Van Rensalaer, representing the Van Rensalaer family; Robert T. Varnum, representing General James M. Varnum; John Tillotson Wainwright, great-great-grandson of Chancellor Livingston, and J. Louis Webb, great-great-grandson of General Samuel B. Webb.

The chapel was now filled, every available space being occupied. Fully one thousand two hundred people were present.



President Harrison.

Prof. Leo Koffer, who presided at the organ had been playing a medley of patriotic airs while the congregation was being seated. He now began the processional hymn "Old Hundred," which he played with full organ. The choir took it up and sang the grand old hymn as it has rarely been sung before. The choir consisted of a well-drilled chorus under the direction of Prof. Koffer, and a double quartette. After the processional hymn the Lord's Prayer was repeated by the clergy and people, followed by the usual versicles. The choir then sang Psalm 85, an anthem by G. A. McFarren, after which the first lesson, Ecclesiastes 41, was read. The Te Deum Laudamus in E flat for double chorus, by R. P. Stewart, followed, and the second lesson, St. John 8, was read. A portion of the Benedicite, by Rogers, was sung, after which the Nicene Creed was repeated by the clergy and people, followed by a few selected prayers. The special prayer of thanksgiving used at St. Paul's, and by all the Episcopal churches throughout the country, was as follows:

O, God, whose name is excelent in all the earth, and whose glory is above the heavens: We bless Thee for the great things Thou hast done and art doing for the children of men. We consider the days of old, the years of ancient time, and unto Thee we do give thanks. Moreover, we yield Thee most high praise for the wonderful grace and virtue declared in all those, Thy children, who have been the lights of the world in their several generations: for raising up Thy servant, George Washington, and giving him to be a leader and commander to the people; for vouchsafing to him victory over kings, and for bestowing upon him many excelent gifts; for inclining the hearts of men in Congress assembled to wise choices, and for granting them visions of the days to come; for a settled Constitution, and for equal laws; for freedom to do the thing that is right and liberty to say the truth; for the spread of knowledge everywhere, and for the preservation of the faith, we bless and magnify Thy holy name, humbly beseeching Thee to accept this, our sacrifice of thanks and praise, through Jesus Christ, our only Saviour and Redeemer.

Two other special prayers were used, one asking a blessing upon President Harrison, and the other for the welfare of the country.

After prayers, Rev. Henry C. Potter, Bishop of New York, delivered the address. The service concluded with the Recessional hymn.

The Presidential party was then escorted by the vestry to the west porch, where the President was received by the Centennial literary committee. The party then proceeded to the Sub-Treasury building at the corner of Wall and Nassau streets, where the old Federal building stood in which Washington took the oath of office in 1789. Here the literary exercises were held.

The order of carriages on the way to the Sub-Treasury building was as follows:

First carriage—The mayor of the City of New York and Hon. Hamilton Fish, president of the Centennial celebration committee.

Second carriage—The President of the United States and the committee on literary exercises.

Third carriage—The Secretaries of the Treasury, War and Navy.

Fourth carriage—The Secretary of the Interior, Postmaster-General, Attorney-General and Secretary of Agriculture.

Fifth and sixth carriages—The Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Seventh carriage—The General of the army, the Admiral of the navy, Senator Evarts, Senator Hiscock.

Eighth carriage—Ex-Presidents Cleveland and Hayes.

Ninth carriage—Bishop Potter, Dr. Storrs and Dr. Dix.

Tenth carriage—The committee on plan and scope.

The Literary Exercises.

NEW YORK, April 30.—In front of the platform of the Sub-Treasury building, where the literary exercises connected with the Centennial celebration took place, a sea of heads greeted the eye, and all about the spot, from Broadway to William street, and as far as one could see down Broad street, eager thronging humanity was packed. It was next to impossible for one to make his way through the crowds that were struggling for places of vantage near the platform.

The platform and canopies extended all the way from the eastern line of the Assay-office, along the fronts of that building and the Sub-Treasury on Wall street, and also around on the Nassau-street side of the Sub-Treasury. The decoration of the Sub-Treasury was most elaborate, and certainly has never been equaled before in the memory of any New Yorker. National colors in silk and bunting, shields, eagles, mottoes, portraits of revolutionary characters and many other devices contributed to the grand display, and had a most superb effect.

The special stand from which the speakers addressed the people was built directly in front of the statue of Washington which stood majestically forth above all. Washington's statue itself stands in a bower of National colors and devices. One especially notable feature of the decoration was a large presidential flag sent from Washington, where it was made for the occasion at the Naval Department. The flag is ten by seventeen feet, and is artistically draped on the front of the building.

While the services in St. Paul's chapel were being held the Twenty-second Regiment band, under the leadership of Prof. P. S. Gilmore, gave a concert at the Sub-Treasury. The band began the programme at nine o'clock, and continued until the literary exercises commenced. The President and party were due at ten o'clock, but it was a little later when they arrived. The literary committee escorted the President from St. Paul's down Broadway to Wall, and down Wall to the Sub-Treasury. As the President's carriage passed along the crowded thoroughfare, the waiting multitudes on the sidewalks cheered again and again, until his way seemed to be a triumphal procession, greeted with one prolonged roar of cheers. The President's reception at the Sub-Treasury was most enthusiastic. As soon as Gilmore caught sight of the President's carriage he lifted his baton, and the full Twenty-second Regiment band played "Hail to the Chief." During the playing of this, the President alighted and was escorted to his seat on the platform. The members of his Cabinet grouped themselves about him, and the other invited guests were seated near. As soon as all was arranged and quiet was gained, Mr. Elbridge T. Gerry, chairman of the committee on literary exercises, stepped to the front of the platform and addressed the assemblage as follows:

FELLOW CITIZENS:—One hundred years ago on this spot, George Washington, as first President of the United States, took his oath of office upon the Holy Bible. That sacred volume is here to-day, silently attesting the basis upon which our nation was constructed, and the dependence of our people upon Almighty God. In the words then, of one of the founders of the Government, with hearts overflowing with gratitude to our Sovereign Benefactor for granting to us existence, for continuing to the present period, and for accumulating on us blessings spiritual and temporal through life, may we with fervor beseech Him to so continue them as best to promote His glory and our welfare.

Rev. Dr. Richard S. Storrs then offered prayer.

The following poem by John Greenleaf Whittier, was read by Clarence A. Bowen.

THE VOW OF WASHINGTON.

The sword was sheathed: in April's sun
Lay green the fields by Freedom won;
And severed sections weary of debates,
Joined hands at last and were United States.

O City, sitting by the Sea!
How proud the day that dawned on thee,
When the new era, long desired, began,
And, in its need, the hour had found the man!

One thought the cannon salvos spoke,
The resonant bell-tower's vibrant stroke,
The voiceful streets, the plaudit-echoing halls,
And prayer and hymn borne heavenward from St. Paul's

How felt the land in every part
The strong throb of a nation's heart,
As its great leader gave, with reverent awe,
His pledge to Union, Liberty and Law!

That pledge the heavens above him heard,
That vow the sleep of centuries stirred;
In world-wide wonder listening peoples bent
Their gaze on Freedom's great experiment.

Could it succeed? Of honor sold
And hopes deceived all history told.
Above the wrecks that strewed the mournful past,
Was the long dream of ages true at last?

Thank God! the people's choice was just,
The one man equal to his trust;
Wise beyond lore and without weakness good,
Calm in the strength of flawless rectitude!

His rule of justice, order, peace,
Made possible the world's release;
Taught Prince and serf that power is but a trust,
And rule, alone, which serves the ruled, is just;

That Freedom generous is, but strong
In hate of fraud and selfish wrong,
Pretense that turns her holy truth to lies,
And lawless license masking in her guise.

Land of his love! with one glad voice
Let thy great sisterhood rejoice;
A century's suns o'er thee have risen and set,
And, God be praised, we are one Nation yet.

And still, we trust, the years to be
Shall prove his hope was destiny,
Leaving our flag with all its added stars
Unrent by faction and unstained by wars!

Lo! where with patient toil he nursed
And trained the new-set plant at first,
The widening branches of a stately tree
Stretch from the sunrise to the sunset sea.

And in its broad and sheltering shade,
Sitting with none to make afraid,
Were we now silent, through each mighty limb
The winds of heaven would sing the praise of him.

Our first and best!—his ashes lie
Beneath his own Virginian sky.
Forgive, forget, O true, and just, and brave,
The storm that swept above thy sacred grave!

For, ever in the awful strife
And dark hours of the Nation's life,
Through the fierce tumult pierced his warning word;
Their father's voice his erring children heard!

The change for which he prayed and sought
In that sharp agony was wrought;
No partial interest draws its alien line
'Twixt North and South, the cypress and the pine.

One people now, all doubt beyond,
His name shall be our union-bond.
We lift our hands to Heaven, and here and now,
Take on our lips the old centennial vow.

For rule and trust must needs be ours;
Chooser and chosen both are powers
Equal in service as in rights; the claim
Of Duty rests on each and all the same.

Then let the sovereign millions, where
Our banner floats in sun and air,
From the warm palm-lands to Alaska's cold,
Repeat with us the pledge a century old!

Oak Knoll, Danvers, Mass

After the applause that greeted the poem subsided, Hon. Chauncey M. Depew stepped forwarded to deliver the oration he had written for the occasion. Mr. Depew's appearance was the signal for a generous burst of applause, and it was some minutes before he could begin. He spoke in a loud tone of voice, and was heard by a large audience. The address was one of the most eloquent historical orations ever delivered before an American audience.

The President then made a short address. His reception by the spectators was most enthusiastic. The crowd cheered wildly for some time. When silence was finally gained, the President said:

These proceedings are of a very exacting character, and make it quite impossible that I should deliver an address on this occasion. At an early date I notified your committee that the programme must not contain any address by me. The selection of Mr. Depew as the orator on this occasion made further speech not only difficult, but superfluous. He has met the demand of the occasion on its own high level. He has brought before us the incidents of the ceremonies of the great inauguration of Washington. We seem to be a part of the admiring and almost adoring throng that filled these streets a hundred years ago, to greet the always-inspiring presence of Washington. He was the incarnation of duty, and he teaches us to-day this great lesson, that those who would associate their names with events that shall outlive a century can only do so by the highest consecration to duty. He was like the captain who goes to sea and throws overboard his cargo of rags that he may gain safety and deliverance for his imperiled fellowmen. Washington seemed to come to the discharge of the duties of his high office impressed with a great sense of his own unfamiliarity with the position newly thrust upon him, modestly doubtful of his own ability, but trusting implicitly in the helpfulness of that God who rules the world, presides in the consciences of nations, and his power to control human events. We have made a marvelous progress in material events since then, but the stately and enduring shaft we have built at the National Capital at Washington symbolizes the fact that he is still the first American citizen.

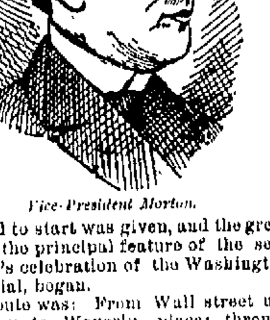
When the President had ceased speaking, a benediction was pronounced by Most Rev. Michael Corrigan, Roman Catholic Archbishop of New York.

At the conclusion of the literary exercises, the President, the members of the Cabinet, the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the United States, and others of the Presidential party who came from St. Paul's chapel, entered their carriages and were driven up Broadway to the reviewing stand in Madison Square.

The Great Parade.

NEW YORK, April 30.—At an early hour this morning troops of soldiers, veterans, militiamen from out of town in smart uniforms, squads of New York State regiments and G. A. R. in vast numbers began to make their way to their various rendezvous up town to assemble for the great parade. Detachments began marching down town long before the hour appointed for the start, and during the services at St. Paul's chapel formed in the streets on either side of Broadway in the lower part of the city. By the time the Presidential party left St. Paul's for the Sub-Treasury most of the troops which took part in the parade were massed about Wall, Pine, Rector and other streets in the vicinity. All the troops, with the exception of the Grand Army, were stationed so that they entered Broadway below Pine street, thus giving those who occupied points of observation down town an opportunity to witness the entire parade. The route of the procession was lined with such vast crowds that passage along the streets was impossible. From curbstone to the adjacent buildings the multitudes was packed in without regard to human comfort, and ill-betide the luckless mortal who was sick or weak. Individual rights were not to be thought of, and the weak went to the wall—literally to the wall of the houses and away from the curb-stone and the center of attraction. The lamp-posts were all occupied by hardy street boys, and every fence and railing that offered even a precarious foothold was at a premium. The streets themselves were filled with people who, before the procession started, were driven along and out of the line of march by a platoon of police.

Every thing was in readiness for the start at ten o'clock, and as soon as the President had passed the corner of Wall street and Broadway on his way to the Sub-Treasury, officers began to give orders to their waiting men; horsemen looked to their horses and saw that all was right, and the bands of music got ready for the start. As soon as the literary exercises began at the Sub-Treasury



Vice-President Morton.

the word to start was given, and the great parade, the principal feature of the second day's celebration of the Washington centennial, began.

The route was: From Wall street up Broadway to Waverly place; through Waverly place to Fifth avenue; up Fifth avenue to Fourteenth street; through Fourteenth street to the east side of Union Square; around Union Square to west side to Fifteenth street; Fifteenth street to Fifth avenue; Fifth avenue to Fifty-seventh street.

Previous to the start the Grand Army of the Republic had been formed by their Grand Marshal, Colonel Wm. P. Walton, on streets west of Fifth avenue and moved through East Fifteenth street, Broadway, East Seventeenth street, Fourth avenue, East Fourteenth street, Fifth avenue, Waverly place and Broadway to Duane street. On reaching that point the line was formed through the entire route enumerated in double rank against the west curb of Broadway, the south curb of Waverly place, the west curb of Fifth avenue, the north curb of Fourteenth street, the west curb of Fourth avenue, the south curb of Seventeenth street, the east curb of Broadway and the south curb of Fifteenth street, the right resting on Fifth avenue, thus fronting a solid line of men on one side of the route as far as Seventeenth street. The column moved from the head of Wall street, there being between fifty and sixty thousand men in line.

The most impressive feature of the day occurred when the literary exercises at the Sub-Treasury were over. The Presidential party, in eleven carriages, drove over the route of the procession up to the reviewing stand in Madison Square between two lines of troops drawn up at either curb of the street. The President's carriage was drawn by four horses in silver harness. It had two footmen. The other carriages were drawn by two horses. During the literary exercises the van of the parade, which had started when the exercises began, had marched a long distance up town, but had not reached Madison Square. When Archbishop Corrigan had pronounced the benediction at the Sub-Treasury, word was given to some of the marshal's aides who were waiting, and they passed along the line giving the order for each officer to halt his company. In this manner the whole procession was halted from Wall street to the head of the line up town. Then, at the order of the officers, the troops below Duane street divided, part forming a continuous line on the western curb of Broadway and part forming a line on the eastern curb. Above Duane street the G. A. R. men were drawn up in line on the western curb, and the regulars and militia made a line opposite the veterans. This order prevailed from Wall street throughout the line of march as far as Seventeenth street where the head of the procession was resting. Then between these living walls the President and his party were driven, up Broadway to Waverly place; through Waverly place to Fifth avenue; up Fifth avenue to Fourteenth street; through East Fourteenth street to the east side of Union Square; along the Square to Fifteenth street; through Fifteenth street to Fifth avenue, and up Fifth avenue to Madison Square.

As the President's carriage passed along through the lines, the soldiers saluted and the crowds on the sidewalks, in the windows and on the house-tops cheered themselves hoarse. After the party had passed, each regiment and division fell in line again and resumed their former ranks and waited for the word to proceed, which was not given until the President had reached the reviewing stand.

Arriving at the reviewing stand in Madison Square the President was received by the committee on the army and escorted to his seat on the grand-stand. The order was then given to resume the march, and soon the column came in sight as it approached the Square, coming up Fifth avenue. The troops marched well and presented a fine appearance as they passed the reviewing stand.

The President did not attempt to stand during the whole of the time while the regiments passed in review, but at times he stood in front of the stand, supported on either side by members of the committee on army. Governor Hill and Mayor Grant were also one on each side of him.

Bands of music were distributed profusely throughout the parade, and each band played its most stirring and brilliant music as it passed the stand of the Chief Magistrate. After passing in review the lines closed up a little so that no break or halt would occur at the reviewing stand. The troops marched up Fifth avenue to Fifty-eighth street where they were dismissed.

The parade was not over until very late in the afternoon, and the portions of the city off on the side streets were made lively until a late hour by the disbanded regiments returning to their armories or rendezvous.

After the last detachment had passed the reviewing stand the President was taken in charge by the committee on arrangements and escorted back to the residence of Vice-President Morton at No. 85 Fifth avenue, and the greatest parade in point of significance that New York has ever seen was over.

One of the chief attractions of the parade was the Seventh New York State Regiment. The ladies everywhere along the route gave the Seventh a rousing welcome, which must have cheered the boys on their march and inspired them with fresh courage as they passed each group of their admirers.

The Twenty-second Regiment also received a large amount of attention, especially from the ladies. Outside of these favorites, the sailors, in their blue suits with white leggings, captured the greatest applause. Some of these tars are just home from long cruises, and this fact was undoubtedly remembered as they trudged along, eliciting a storm of applause.

PEORIA *Transcript*: We notice that the Hon. Whitelaw Reid has been given a farewell dinner. This will undoubtedly brace him up for the trying ordeal through which he will be compelled to pass. We understand that Mr. Reid is an elegant eater, doesn't use a knife while devouring pie, wears his napkin in the second buttonhole of his vest, and that a dress coat sits on his shoulders in such a way as to give him a highly distingue and recherche appearance. We see no earthly reason why Mr. Reid should not make an excellent minister. There are good many very poor editors who would do well abroad.

PITTSBURGH *Chronicle-Telegraph*: It is a well established fact that a wide-awake boy will resort to almost any sort of expedient to escape "thrashings," be these exercises of parental discipline regular in recurrence or only sporadic. But it is left to a Hoosier youth of 17 years to adopt, almost a desperate means to escape the fatherly lashing. After enduring a somewhat severe correction with a plow-line, the boy poured the tale of his trouble into the willing ear of a neighboring spinster, red-headed and hopeful in spite of her 41 years of single blessedness. When she suggested that he could escape future castigations by running away and marrying her, the boy took her at her word, they eloped and the twain were made one by a justice of the peace. Just how far the young fellow's matrimonial experiment will work in saving him from punishment time alone can show; but it is possible he may realize when the knowledge comes to late that he hopped from the frying pan into the fire.

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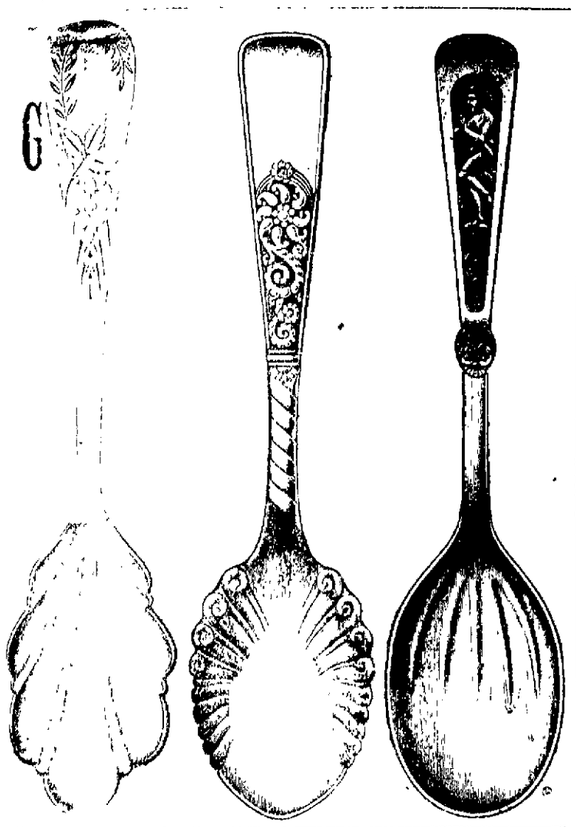

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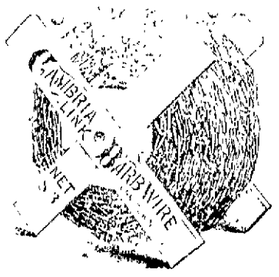

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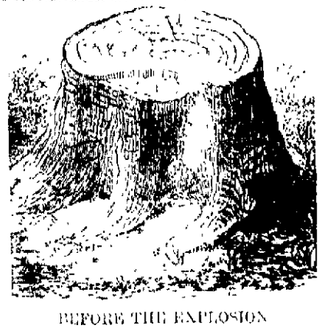

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LOCAL NEWS.

You will find the largest assortment of *Baby Carriages* in the city, at
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MAY first.

MATINEE only, afternoon May 9 at the opera house.

THE children returned to the school houses this morning.

NO FROST last night. It was cool enough early in the evening to bring it.

BRUNO WERNER is building an eight room house on North Union street.

THE newly elected constables and justices will go on duty Monday next.

SOME of the grandest artists in America are with Gilmore for this concert tour.

THE L. & M. paints are warranted not to fade or scale. They are economical and durable. Sold only by S. M. Irwin.

Tickets to "Deestrick Skewl" can be secured at Prescott's music store beginning Friday morning. Reserved seats without extra charge.

COLONIAL society will engage in their May ball at Light Guard hall this evening.

THE comedy-drama, "Wells-Fargo Messenger," will be the play to-night at the opera house.

ON Tuesday William Sawyer shipped a car load of cattle from Trontman station to Chicago.

THE ladies of St. John's Aid Society will give a dramatic entertainment at the opera house at an early date for the benefit of the new church fund.

ASSESSOR KESLER, who began his work to-day, has appointed the following deputies: W. A. Holman, J. S. Carter, R. W. Ferguson, Walter C. and Lucy Keeler. Mr. Holman will make the assessment in the township outside of the city.

ORIOLE the celebrated White Foam flour. It is made by Hatfield & Co.

CALL up Niedermeyer by telephone for fresh butter and family groceries.

MASON LONG held forth in Lincoln Square this forenoon and took up a collection. He is said to pay his singers $20 to $25 a week each, and that he just about pays traveling expenses.

AARON POUND has been engaged to teach the "Deestric Skowl," and it will begin on Monday, the sixth day of May. The said Aaron is a virtuous young man of great learning, and knows how to use the rod.

DR. T. S. HOSKINS, the dentist, is now prepared to give gas for the painless extraction of teeth. Perfectly reliable no danger whatever. Office up stairs, corner Main and Water streets. 22-d1m

IT is stated that a Pekin firm of ice dealers will go into business in Decatur. They say they will put wagons on the streets in a few days.

FOUR Good Barbers at Grisk's Opera House Barber Shop, no waiting. Clean Towels. 30-d1w

A CHOICE line of vegetables and country butter on sale at Hanks & Patterson's grocery store.

THE T. H. & P., boys have organized a base ball club with Brugh Werner as pitcher and Harry Kennedy as catcher. They are now ready to receive challenges from all other city clubs.

DEAL with the Moore Bro.'s in opera block. Their stock of family groceries is complete.

SECOND HAND buggies, spring wagon and road carts for sale by SPENCER & LEHMAN. apr23-dawtf

IT will pay you to call on C. B. Prescott when in quest of a Haines piano. It will make your home happy and be a cheer to you many an evening. Buy one.

FOR SALE One upright piano for $150, and one square piano for $100. Both bargains. Inquire at 435 N. Morgan St. a22-dtf

THE rear end of a heavy wagon driven by James McBride was struck last evening at the Jasper street crossing of the Wabash road, and one wheel torn off. It was a narrow escape for McBride who may well congratulate himself on his good luck. Had he been less impatient and waited until the rapidly moving train had passed the expense of repairing the wagon would not have faced him this morning.

THE best of fruits, berries and vegetables in season at J. Lytle & Co.'s family grocery store.

WE will continue to entertain and take great pleasure in showing you our complete line of carriages, surreys, phaetons and buggies, the largest and most complete in the city. If we have what you want we can sell it to you, for all admit the superiority of our goods, and our prices are the lowest. Come.
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Festival

At Monitor Band Hall, (over Danzeisen's meat market,) on Friday evening, May 3. Ice cream, and cake, sweetmeats, etc. Admission, 10 cents. 1-d3

Condolence.

The following resolutions were adopted Sunday by Faithful Lodge No 19, I. O. G. T.:

WHEREAS, In the development of the wise plans of an ever ruling Providence, we are called upon to mourn the departure from this life of our beloved brother and Chief Templar, Ernest I Underwood, therefore

Resolved, That in his death Faithful Lodge No 19, I. O. G. T., sustains the loss of one of our most cherished members, whose cheerful christian disposition rendered him alike helpful either as an officer or member.

Resolved, That we deplore his early demise and extend to his sorrowing mother and relatives our heartfelt sympathy in this hour of their bereavement, and point them to that source of comfort which was the support of our deceased brother

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the mother of our departed brother as a token of our sympathy.

S. B. N. VAUGHAN,
JOHN W. SPENCE,
J. H. COLEMAN, Com.

CHARGES AGAINST KABRICK.

Plan to Bounce Him from Janes' Chapel—Church Trial.

As the natural outcome of the recent assault of J. H. Kabrick on Thomas Peniwell, the one-armed city ticket agent for the T. H. & P. road, and a brother member of Janes' Chapel, the offender is to be given a legal roast before Justice Curtis on city and state warrants for assault, and then he will undergo a church trial at which no doubt much of the trouble which has been fomented at the chapel for several months will be laid bare. After making the assault on Mr. Peniwell Monday night, Mr. Kabrick called on Justice Provost and voluntarily paid a fine of $3.60, but that act does not relieve him from further fines which may be assessed by any other justice. He is to have his examination in Justice Curtis' court Saturday afternoon at one o'clock on the state warrant, and an army of witnesses will be present to detail the circumstances of the knock-down.

A CHURCH TRIAL.

Charges of immoral conduct have been preferred against Mr. Kabrick by Mr. Peniwell, and the bill of charges has been signed and delivered to the pastor of the Chapel, Rev. D. Gay. The specifications are assault and assault and battery. Rev. Gay has fixed Monday May 13, at 9 a. m., as the time of the trial which will be held at the Chapel. Rev. Gay will appoint the trial committee and select an attorney to prosecute the case. No doubt Mr. Kabrick will make a vigorous fight to defeat the case and retain his membership in the church.

About twelve years ago, we are informed, Mr. Kabrick was a member of the Illinois Conference in good standing. He was in charge of the Decatur Methodist circuit for awhile, but soon afterward a bill of charges was filed against him, but the case never came to trial. Mr Kabrick withdrew from the Conference and his parchments were surrendered. They are now in possession of the Conference. He has been a member of the Chapel and is a bath school teacher. The membership has developed a factional spirit and trouble has resulted. The regularly appointed pastor resigned some months ago, and the church for awhile was in charge of Rev. Jas. Miller, who surrendered it to the presiding elder, Rev. M. D. Hawes. The Elder held on for awhile and then made it a part of the Decatur circuit, with Rev. D. Gay as pastor. The differences are so varied and multiplied that no pretense of giving the facts can be made at this time. They will be sifted and developed at the church trial, when such as may be of general interest will be published.

There is no question, however, that Mr. Peniwell was knocked down by Mr. Kabrick. There were several witnesses of the assault.

The trouble grew out of the discharge of Ed. Thayer as janitor and the official order placing the church keys in charge of Mr. Peniwell.

E. A. Wyer had the Zouaves out for drill yesterday afternoon at the corner of West Main and Pine streets.

SOME important changes in one or two departments of the city government are predicted, but they will not be made known until after the new members of the council take their seats.

A Shocking Accident.

A very sad mishap occurred yesterday afternoon on the Illinois Central railroad below the tray factory. Two men were operating a hand car and two boys were on board. One of the boys was Johnny Edwards, the 11 year old son of Joe Edwards, who resides at 408 South Franklin street. The handle of the car struck Johnny on the head and he fell part way off the car. His coat caught on the car and he was dragged along some distance until the coat tore loose, the boy rolling down the embankment. The boy was borne unconscious to his home, when his invalid mother sent for a doctor. Dr. Myers came and found that the boy had been shockingly injured. He received a deep cut on the head, his left ear was nearly torn off, his upper lip and nose were cut, and half the teeth in one of the lower jaws were knocked out. The boy will possibly recover. His condition is precarious. He is an only child and the father is bowed down with sorrow. Johnny had been engaged by a man to take a note to the water works and had got on the hand car at the T. H. & P. depot to make the journey in a hurry.

ATTORNEY JAMES M. LEE has removed his office from 149 South Water street, and is now permanently located in the rooms formerly occupied by Bunn & Park, situated over Ferriss & Lapham's shoe store. Mr. Lee has been here but a short time. However he is a genuine "hustler" and undoubtedly will soon command an extensive practice.

LAST evening Goodman's Band wound up the Washington celebration day by giving a grand free concert from the pagoda in Central Park. Hundreds of people were out to hear the splendid music.

MASON LONG and his quartette were with us two days, gave the crowds good talks and better music. The reformed gambler himself passed through the crowds to receive any contributions the people saw fit to give him.

FOR constipation, "liver complaint," or biliousness, sick headache, and all diseases arising from a disordered condition of the liver and stomach, take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets a gentle laxative or active cathartic, according to size of dose.

Removed.

Miss Frances I. Clegg has removed her dressmaking parlors to Rooms 26 and 27 in the Gallagher Block. 29-d1w

Ahrens & Damrow,

Successors to Fred Kuny, wish to remind all former, present and future patrons of the Decatur Bottling Works that they carry in stock an ample supply of the celebrated Budweiser, Ph. Best's Milwaukee, St. Louis Pearl and Decatur Brg. Beer, put up in quart and pint bottles, and are prepared to deliver the same promptly on short notice to the trade and to all private families. Also have the best known facilities to supply all with Ginger Ale, Soda Water and numerous other summer drinks.

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Ford Greer a Benedict.

The marriage of Mr. Ford W. Greer, of Lafayette, Ind., and Miss Mary Kreitter was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents at Norfolk, Nebraska, on Saturday afternoon, April 27. The father of the bride is J. W. Kreither. The groom is a son of the late Judge S. F. Greer and a brother of Mrs. F. B. Caldwell, of Chicago, and Mrs. W. R. Abbott, of Decatur. He is connected with street railway interests at Lafayette and is in the fine stock business.

Flyers.

Billy Downing will have two rapid trotters to handle this season. One is "Billy G," in the 2:22 class, and the other is "Nettie B," in the three minute class. Both horses will begin their racing season at Terre Haute on June 6th.

"THE TWO ORPHANS" drama was put on the stage last night by the Baldwin-Melville company in elaborate style and a large audience was present to enjoy the performance. Miss Melville and Miss Eckert were the orphans, Miss Wilson old *Frochard*, Miss Bradwell *Florette*, Mr. Johnson *Pierre*, and Mr. Crane *Jacques*. It was the first appearance of an old favorite, James E. Nelson, who assumed the heroic role of the *Chevalier*. He and Miss Eckert were called before the curtain at the end of the second act. It was a smooth performance throughout. To-night the comedy drama will be "Wells-Fargo Messenger." It is a good company. Go.

Willis Johnson is 69.

The birthday surprise party and big dinner in honor of Willis Johnson, Sr., came off to-day and was a huge success. The neatly printed invitations were signed by Mrs. Johnson, the party in vehicles meeting at the fair grounds at 10 a. m. and proceeding in a body to the Johnson residence, three miles northwest of the city. Mr. Johnson is 69 years old to-day. He was completely surprised. Many friends gave him valuable birthday presents.

An Adjourned Meeting.

Last night a meeting of members of the Young Men's Christian Association was held for the transaction of very important business, but an adjournment was taken until to-morrow (Thursday) evening, *at 7:30 o'clock*. President Wells requests a full attendance of members.

THE grandest concert ever given by Gilmore's famous band in this city will take place at the opera house Thursday afternoon, May 9th, at 2:30 o'clock this being the 20th anniversary of the great Boston Jubilee. A number of special features will be introduced, the cannons will be used, and the greatest vocal artists that ever appeared in this country have been engaged for this tour and will take part in the great program.

Sales of Real Estate.

Noah Ball to Benj. F. Ball, 10 acres in 22, 16, 1 west, $150.

Henry M. Whitmer to Edwin B. Mason, tract of land in 14, 16, 2 east, $900.

Perry H. Smith et al to Lucy V. Jewett, quit claim to land in 14, 22, 23, all in 16, 1 west, $1,00.

Robert S. McCormick to Lucy V. Jewett, quit claim to land in 14, 22, 23, all in 16, 1 west, $1.00.

James Milikin to W. O. Miller, tract of land in 15, 16, 2, $680.

James A Roney to Missouri C. Green, lot 8, in block 1, in H. A. Wood's second addition to Decatur, on Division street, $400.

C. M. Allison and H. C. Hord to John Saybolt, bond for deed to lots 7 and 8, in North Park addition, $1050.

The Gilmore Jubilee.

Thursday afternoon, May 9, at 2:30 Decatur is to have one of the Twentieth Anniversary series of Monster Musical Festivals, to be conducted by Mr. P. S. Gilmore in the large cities of America, this spring, in commemoration of his great Boston Jubilee. It will be a genuine Jubilee in its character and magnitude, swelled in grandeur by the greatest of all bands, a number of the most noted vocal celebrities, such as Myron Whitney; the most charming American soprano, Mme. Blanche Stone—Barton, the charming American contralto, Miss Helen Dudley Campbell, and the dashing Swedish tenor, de Danckwardt, from the Royal Opera, Copenhagen.

The character of the music will be grand, patriotic, and popular, and in some of the numbers enlivened by the beating of anvils and firing of artillery, with the same wonderful accuracy which astonished the world at Boston Jubilees. Gilmore will be the hero of the present hour, as he was of the Jubilee times at the close of the war.

Masonic.

Special assembly of Decatur Council No. 16, R. and S. Masters, this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, for work. All select masters are invited.

J. N. BAKER, T. I. M.

N. L. KRONE, Rec.

W. C. T. U. Notes.

The Reading Circle formed under the auspices of the Decatur Y. will meet to complete the organization on Thursday evening. Miss Ada Boyd has been appointed superintendent. It is designed to take up the studies of a "School of Politics." Members of both Y Unions and all young people not connected with either society are cordially invited; while members of the mother Union will also be welcome. A full attendance should greet the leaders of this most praiseworthy undertaking. The meetings may become a source of both pleasure and profit to all.

The president of the World's W. C. T. U., Frances E. Willard, desires that services in the interest of that organization should be held by the local Unions. Such services will probably take the place of the usual gospel temperance meeting next Sunday. An interesting meeting may be expected and the hall should be filled.

The county convention will be held next Tuesday and Wednesday, May 7th and 8th, in Macon. The Union appointed as delegates Mrs. M. Stafford, Mrs. C. C. Hill and Mrs. S. R. Pitner. Mesdames Gay, Holt and Tenny were chosen alternates. Mrs. Stafford will read an essay, entitled "What Is that in Thine Hand?" Mrs. Page will give a paper on "Flower Mission Work."

The program for last Thursday's readings consisted of Lincoln's Address on Temperance by Mrs. Stafford, "I know that my Redeemer Liveth," by Miss Ada Boyd, and "An Easter Legend" by Master Edson Snyder.

In holding the first of the Demorest Medal contests on the night of Centennial Day, the Decatur Y's have made a good beginning of the nation's second century. These contests have been productive of much good in many places. In Mattoon they are said to have awakened great interest, many being turned away for want of room. SUPT. PRESS WORK.

MARRIED.

At his office on May 1, by Ira B. Curtis, J. P., John W. Ball, of Christian county, and Miss Mariah E. Pierson, of Buffalo, Ill.

In his parlor at the Hotel Brunswick, on April 29th, by Ira B. Curtis, J. P., William H. Lourash and Miss Nora Vest, both of Mt. Zion, Ill.

DIED.

Of heart disease, on April 30, on East Orchard street, William H. Pratt, aged 85 years.

Deceased was a native of Ireland and had been a resident of Illinois 23 years. He leaves a widow far advanced in age. There are no children.

At 904 North Calhoun street, of consumption, May 1, at 1 a. m., William Godfrey, aged 20 years. Funeral from the Catholic church to-morrow.

SNOW WHITE down sofa cushions, at Cox, Chamberlain & Co.'s, 106 Library Block. apr28-dtf

The Martha Washington Tea Party.

The ladies of the Sanctuary Chapter of St. John's church gave a very enjoyable Martha Washington tea party at the residence of Mrs. Charles P. Thatcher last evening. It was largely attended by the members and friends of the congregation. The rooms were beautifully draped with National emblems, and the ladies attending the tables were attired in the costumes of 100 years ago. During the evening Miss Burrows favored the company with a sweetly executed vocal solo. All of the young people and many elderly folk indulged in dancing. C. H. Henderson floor manager. The ladies in charge of the tables were:

Table No. 1—Misses Florence and Annie Rainey and Pet Buckingham.
Table No. 2—Miss Lucile Durfee, Miss Howes, and Mesdames Will Shellabarger and Chilson.
Table No. 3 Misses Alethea Fuller and Mary Roby.

The party was a pronounced social and financial success. The general admission was 10 cents, with 25 cents extra for the privilege of dancing. The refreshments included Russian tea, chocolate, ice cream and a variety of delicious cake.

The Day at the Academy.

The centennial inauguration of Washington was commemorated at St. Teresa's Academy on East Eldorado street yesterday afternoon by the bright pupils of the Catholic school. Patriotic decorations appeared in profusion, and the rooms were crowded with visitors to hear the music, to listen to the extra centennial address by Father Mackin and to enjoy the following program:

Song—"Welcome, Thou Festal Morn," by the School.
Reading—"Washington's Centennial Poem," Florence Montgomery.
Recitation—"America," Annie Brown.
Declamation—"A Young Washington," Martin Spellman.
Dialogue—"Our Flag," Junior Girls.
Song—"Star Spangled Banner," School.
Recitation—"Washington," Amelia Cantwell.
Dialogue: "1789 1889." This pretty dialogue was given by 11 little boys, seven representing 1789, who addressed 1889, represented by seven other little boys. Those who spoke on behalf of 1789 were James Dugan, Willie Adderly, Robert McGonigle, Tom McDermott, James Lair, Willie Kelley, Martin Spellman, while Willie Clark, Frank Gogerty, Mike Ryan, Tom Cutile, George Holland and Frank Russell spoke for 1889.
Song—"Red, White and Blue," School.
Recitation—"My Country," May Marshall.
"Our Four (good) Fathers"—Maurice P. Veale.
Recitation—"Washington's Farewell to His Army," John Morrissey.
Song—"America," School.

The children of the Academy are having their vacation to-day.

The Demorest Prize Contest.

The Y's celebrated the centennial of Washington's inauguration, last evening, by giving a Demorest Prize Contest. The hall was appropriately decorated and the following programme rendered:

Song—"America".....
Reading—"Rules of the Contest"..... Miss May Locher
Solo..... Bert Gher
Recitation..... Miss May McKenzie
Declamation..... Wm. Locher
Duet—Misses Lizzie Kamper and Elsa Jones
Recitation—"A Voice from the Poor House"..... Miss Nellie Hubbard
Recitation—"The Martyred Mother"..... Miss Simons
Recitation—"Dot Pow Fitz"..... Allison Barnard
Solo..... Miss McKenzie

Awarding prizes by judges Rev. Springer, E. A. Gastman and Mrs. J. G. Shea.

The contestants may all be congratulated upon the excellent manner in which their selections were rendered. The fortunate one, however, was A. F. Barnard, to whom the judges awarded the silver medal.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Morton L. Parker, of Chicago, is in the city on a brief visit.

Samuel McRoberts and wife departed last night for Huron, Dakota.

Mrs. R. C. Hamsher is in Chicago selecting a new stock of millinery goods

Chas. P. Housum is expected to arrive home from Texas Friday morning.

Miss Beulah Whitset is home from Chicago on a visit to her mother. She is a teacher in Chicago schools.

Manager E. J. Martin, of the Decatur Electric Street Railway Co., has been in St. Louis since the council meeting Monday night.

Bob Ferguson has 400 policy holders of the U. S. Mutual Accident company in this community and 400 members of the Franklin Life Ins. Co.

Little Frankie Beall, son of Frank Beall, is suffering from a slight rupture, the result of a fall received some weeks ago while returning home one icy day from Sabbath school.

E. M. Crane and the ladies of the Baldwin-Melville dramatic company drove to the country in an open carriage this morning to view the beauties of nature and enjoy the fresh country breeze.

His Last Sermon.

Rev. W. H. Prestley, the retiring pastor of the Presbyterian church, has announced that he will deliver his farewell sermon on Sunday, May 12th.

Sleigh Bells

will for the present announce the coming of the Leffingwell oil wagon. 25 d6t

Milam Township.

Mate Donor received a White Cap notice recently, it has not had the effect of exciting him to any very great extent, however. Such notices have become very frequent in this neighborhood. Such a spirit should be suppressed.

Last Friday afternoon the stable belonging to Mr. Andrew Braden was burned to the ground. It was with considerable difficulty that his horse was taken from the burning stable.

Chas. Eary visited Decatur the early part of the week; whether it was to interview Captain Rowell or to transact legal business we did not learn.

Henry Gleason is "in feathers and war paint," because the commissioners do not see fit to put in another bridge on the east line. Notwithstanding his threats of entering suit, they will be likely to do as they please, however. Keep cool, Henry. You know "a tempest in a teapot" is soon over.

Friday, the 19th inst., was a memorable date for Mr. David J. Freeland. On that evening his children, now all married and settled in life, gathered at the old home to celebrate the 50th return of his birthday. The whole affair was a surprise to Mr. Freeland. At the close of the festivities came another surprise in the presentation of a gold-headed cane as a memento of the occasion by his family. "Uncle Davy," as he is popularly called, is one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens in this part of the township, and his neighborhood and family join in wishing him many more birthdays as pleasantly to be spent. RIP VAN WINKLE.

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Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—81⅛ May; 81¼ June; 79 July; 77 Aug.

CORN—33½ May; 33⅞ June; 34¾ July; 35½ Aug.

OATS—22 May; 22¼ June; 22¼ July; 22½ Aug.

PORK—$11.47 May; $11.52 June; $11.60 July.

LARD—$6.77 May; $6.82 June; $6.85 July.

RIBS—$5.95 May; $5.97 June; $6.07 July.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 17,000; market slow.

Cattle, 9,000; market slow.

Car Lots—Wheat: Winter, 8; Spring, 12; Corn, 607; Oats, 286.

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50 Pieces Linen Suitings, handsome as Silks, in Plain, Checks and Damasse.

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100 dozen Full Regalar Black and Colored Hose, at 15c.
250 pair Lace Curtains, at 58c, worth $1.25; at 64c, worth $1.50.
4,000 yards Ginghams, at 4½c, worth 10c.
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100 Gold Cap 26-inch Gloria Silk Umbrellas, at 1.38, worth $1.75.

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Matchless flour	2.60	" "
Clipper flour	2.10	" "
Corn flour	2.10	" "
Pearl meal and grits	1.20	" "
Cream meal	1.10	" "
Bran and hominy chop	60c	" "
Shorts	70c	" "
Corn, oats and rye chop	90c	" "
Ear and shelled corn	35c	per bu
Oats	30c	" "

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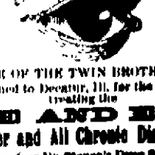

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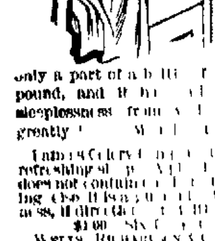

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Giant Glaciers of Alaska.

The southwestern face of St. Elias, it is safe to say, will never be climed; it presents a mass of broken snow, beautiful, yet forbidding. We estimated the summit to be about 7,000 feet above us, making its total height 18,500 feet. It seemed to us that the coast survey in giving it 19,500 feet was too liberal in its figures. The day was cloudless, the whole scene was one that baffles description. It surpassed in grandeur, though not in picturesqueness, the very best that the Alps can offer. Roughly speaking, the eye encountered for miles nothing but snow and ice. I had never before thoroughly realized the vastness of the Alaskan glaciers though during the past fortnight we had spent many a weary hour in crossing immense moraines.

One of the glaciers we looked down upon was not less than sixty miles long, while another attained a breadth of twenty-five or thirty miles. From below I had gained the impression that ice covered with debris predominated over white ice. I now saw that this was not the case, and that the ratio of debris to clear ice was probably not greater than that of ten to one. When standing at a considerable height one appreciates for the first time the beautiful curves through which the glaciers alter their course. We noticed this in particular in looking down upon the Agassiz glacier. It appeared at one point to describe three or four arcs of concentric circles with radii varying from eight to ten miles, each arc being indicated by a light coating of stones, the whole resembling an immense race course. Through the middle of the Tyndall glacier, and for a distance of several miles, two light streaks of moraine ran parallel to each other, presenting from above the appearance of a huge serpent crawling the length of the glacier.—Scribner's Magazine.

Women Blacksmiths

It is considered improper for women to work underground in a coal mine writes a Dudley (England) correspondent. Is it not equally wrong for them to toil as blacksmiths? The scenes that occur in the smithies, especially in summer time, are quite opposed to the accepted notions of decency. The heat is intense. There are the forge fires, the red hot pieces of iron, and, above all the tremendous labor of hammering out the iron. Even in wintry weather, with the snow on the ground, I have seen women perspire at their work. In the summer it simply results in an indecent abandonment of clothing. The fellahin of Egypt are better clothed than the women in a smithy's shop on a midsummer's day. Then, to bring the olive hammer down with greater force, it sometimes happens that two or three persons will spring on the treadle at once. This is generally done by boys and girls. They stand as close as possible, hold each other by the waist and simultaneously spring with the right foot on the treadle. It is hardly necessary to add that the standard of morality is not high among the members of this trade, and would undoubtedly be much improved if the women were debarred from such work. Whether the men alone could earn enough to keep them is a question not so easy to answer, though there can be no doubt that their wages would greatly increase but for the competition of their wives and their sisters.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Unsafe

A professional funny man says that he once gave a humorous lecture at which all his audience roared with laughter, with the exception of an old man in one of the front seats who preserved an aspect of owl like solemnity. The humorist almost exhausted himself in efforts to win one smile from that stolid visage, and he was only relieved by learning after the lecture that the man was stone deaf.

At a very hilarious family party, one old gentleman, famous for his appreciation of a joke, was observed to be absolutely silent, even when the fun was at its loudest. His unusual soberness of demeanor first puzzled and then disturbed his friends.

"Aren't you well to-night, uncle?" asked a young man, finally, drawing the old gentleman aside.

"Bless you, yes. I never felt better."

"You're not troubled about anything?"

"Why no! What makes you ask?"

"I noticed you didn't smile at all when all the rest of us were laughing, and that's something new, you know."

The old gentleman put his hand to his mouth, and whispered:

"Don't you say a word, Harry, but just know I can't laugh. I'm afraid to. I've just got my new set of teeth, and I ain't fairly used to 'em."—Youth's Companion.

Too Much Stage Kissing

We commend to amateur actors, troubled with bad memories, the happy idea of our friend C., writes the "stage man" of The Baltimore American. Though a young man he was to play the father, and the daughter chanced to be a very handsome woman. So when he forgot his part he could think of nothing better, while holding his "child" than to say:

"Kiss your father."

And each time when he felt his memory about to fail he would save himself by crying out:

"Come to my arms, my child!"

The husband of the daughter was heard to say that he thought "the author repeated himself very often."

He Will Not Forgive

A precocious Poughkeepsie boy had his photograph taken the other day. His uncle desired to send one of the portraits to a friend in England, wrote the following on a slip of paper and asked the boy to copy it on the back of the portrait: "To Uncle —'s English friend from a little American boy." When the portrait and copy were given to the lad he shook his head and appeared dissatisfied. His mother asked him why he acted in that manner. "I ain't going to send my picture to the English, because they came over here and taxed us on tea," was the youngster's answer.—Kingston Freeman.

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court, June Term A. D. 1889.
C. W. Ramsburg, Executor, vs. Charles F. Neblock et al. Partition.

Affidavit of the non-residence in said state of the said Maude Neblock, Vesta Neblock, May Morrison and Lonzo Morrison, four of the above named defendants having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Maude Neblock, Vesta Neblock, May Morrison and Lonzo Morrison, that the above named complainant as the executor of Carlo B. H. Neblock, deceased, heretofore on the 12th day of April, 1889, filed his bill of complaint in the office of said clerk of said court, on the chancery side thereof, which said bill is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against all the defendants to said bill returnable on the first day of the next June term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1889. Now, unless you the said Maude Neblock, Vesta Neblock, May Morrison and Lonzo Morrison, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.
Dated Decatur, Ill., April 17th, 1889.
F. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
BRACH & HOSTETLER and MILLS BROS., Sol's for Complainant. apr18 d1w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court of Said County to the June Term, A. D. 1889.
James Millikin vs. Thomas A. McIntyre and Henry T. Wardwell, Partners as McIntyre and Wardwell—In Chancery.

The above named defendants Thomas A. McIntyre and Henry T. Wardwell, partners as McIntyre and Wardwell, are hereby notified that the above named James Millikin the complainant heretofore, to wit on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1889, filed his bill of complaint against them as defendants in the office of the clerk of said court on the chancery side thereof and that a summons in said cause thereupon issued against them, the said defendants, out of said court, returnable into said court on the first day of the next term thereof to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county on the first Monday of June A. D. 1889, which said bill and cause are now pending in said court.
F. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Said Court.
CREA & EWING, Sols for Complainant.
apr4 d4w

Administrators' Notice.

Estate of Walter T. Morgan, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrators of the estate of Walter T. Morgan, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that they will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 10th day of April 1889.
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J. R. CORIN,
Administrators.
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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1889.
The People's Savings and Loan Association vs.
Henry Christensen, Amanda J. Christensen, John H. Crocker, James H. Durfee, William W. Foster and James Mintler—In Chancery. Foreclosure.

Affidavit of the non-residence in said state of said Henry Christensen having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said circuit court, and that the residence of the said Amanda J. Christensen by due inquiry cannot be ascertained, notice is hereby given to each of you the said Henry Christensen and Amanda J. Christensen that the above named complainant heretofore on the [illegible] day of April, A. D. 1889 filed its bill of complaint in the office of the Clerk of said court on the chancery side thereof, which said bill is still pending, that the summons thereupon issued out of said court against all of said defendants to said bill returnable on the first day of the next June term thereof to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of June A. D. 1889. Now unless you the said Henry Christensen and Amanda J. Christensen, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and the bill granted according to the prayer thereof.
Dated Decatur, Illinois April [illegible] A. D. 1889.
(Signed) F. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
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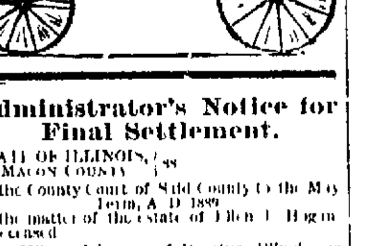

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }
In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery To June Term, A. D. 1889.
Fannie D. Delaney vs. James G. Delaney—Divorce.

Affidavit of the non-residence of James G. Delaney having been filed in this cause take notice that a bill has been filed in said court by Fannie D. Delaney, and said cause is now pending in said court and a summons issued, returnable on the first day of the next term of said court, that being the third day of June, 1889, to be held in the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state.

Therefore, unless you, James G. Delaney, appear and demur, plead to, or answer and defend said bill of complaint, a default will be entered against you and the allegations in said bill held confessed to be true.
F. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
D. HUTCHISON, Complainant's Solicitor.
apr22 d4w

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. F. [illegible] docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of H. E. Foster and against Edwin G. Hodge, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot Seven (7) in Block Four (4) in Carver's Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Edwin G. Hodge, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution. This 17th day of April, A. D. 1889.
J. H. MAUZY,
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.
April17-d2w

Administrator's Notice for Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }
In the County Court of Said County to the May Term, A. D. 1889.
In the matter of the estate of Ellen T. Hogan, deceased.

To Milton Johnson, of Decatur, Illinois, as administrator of the estate of John Hogan, deceased, James A. Martin, of Calistoga, California, Samuel Clark, of Sidney, Illinois, Michael Clark and Charles Clark, of Decatur, Illinois, Mrs. Arabella Sites of Brattan, Nebraska, Hugh Sultzenberger and Jacob Sites, his guardian, both of Decatur, Illinois, Ella Sultzenberger and Henry Sites, her guardian, both of Brattan, Nebraska, Abe Sultzenberger, of Decatur, Illinois, and Michael Sultzenberger and Michael Clark his guardian, both of Decatur, Illinois: You are hereby notified that I have filed in said court, to said term, a final report of my acts and doings as the administrator of said estate, and that I will on Thursday, the 9th day of May, A. D. 1889, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, present the same to said court for adjudication of approval or disapproval, and will then ask the court to approve the same, and that I may discharged from all further liability as such administrator, when and where you may be present and except to said report if you see fit.
MILTON JOHNSON,
Administrator of the Estate of Ellen T. Hogan, Deceased. apr23-d2w

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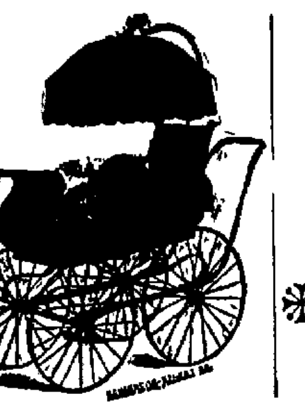

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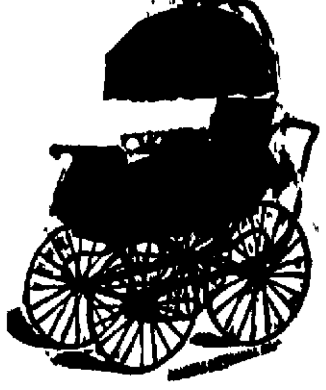

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IN the great parade at New York yesterday the military numbered about 40,000 men the largest ever seen since the grand review at Washington in 1865.

THE Illinois legislature has again taken up the humdrum business of life, after consigning ex-Speaker Haines to the grave and giving George Washington the benefit of their reverential homage.

CLEVELAND is now a New York lawyer, but we fail to find his name among the gentlemen who were honorably mentioned in connection with the celebration of yesterday. And yet, as the one of the three living successors of George Washington, what could have been more appropriate?

SOME paper has published a picture of George Washington, arrayed in the costume of the present day, and makes a good deal of sport over it. Now suppose somebody else should publish a picture of President Harrison, togged out in the costume of the first president frills, laces, silver buckles, silk stockings and queue, it would be just about as funny. "Sufficient to the day is the evil thereof."

CONGRESSMAN'S COX's trip to the Dakotas and Montana may have no politics in it. Nevertheless Cox could give the Democrats a bigger lift there in a partisan sense than any other man they could select. The New Yorker took strong ground in favor of admission, and consequently he would be popular in the new States. Apart from Montana, however, that party won't not have the ghost of a chance of success, even with Cox's aid.

TO-DAY the order takes effect to place the railway mail service under the civil service rules. Therefore the Democratic clerks who have not resigned or been removed can breathe a little easier, in the belief that their official heads are safe, for a time at least. There will be a good many changes within the last month, doubtless for the benefit of the service. The horrible condition which the mail service had reached would warrant the removal of the whole outfit.

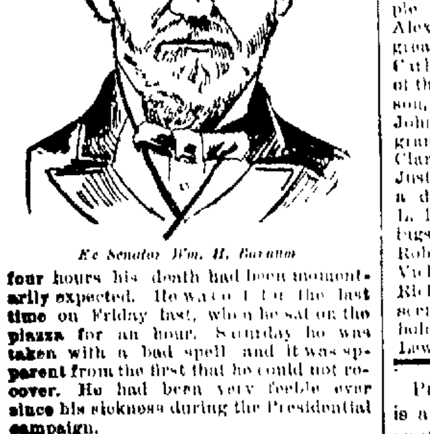
THE British flag stood a rather poor show in New York this week, especially when some foolish Englishman swung it above the stars and stripes, and still more especially when the Pennsylvania militia got sight of the emblem. The rage of the Pittsburgh soldiers at sight of the British flag shows how easy it is to awaken the innate memories of the average American on such an occasion, and while the act perpetrated by them is to be regretted it is hardly to be wondered at.

THE death of Hon. W. H. Barnum chairman of the National Democratic Central Committee, occurred at Lime Rock, Conn., yesterday. He was 70 years old and was best known to the country in the capacity above referred to. He was engaged in manufacturing, served once in the state legislature, was a delegate to the Union National Convention at Philadelphia in 1866, was sent to Congress as a Democrat the same year, and retained his seat by successive re-elections till 1876, in which year he was elected to the United States Senate to fill out the term of O. S. Ferry, deceased, ending March 1, 1879.

REPRESENTATIVE MCKINLEY and several other Republican Congressmen declare that if the count of the population by the census of 1890 reaches the Fifty-first Congress as early as five or six weeks before the expiration of the term on March 1, 1889, an apportionment based upon it will be made. No doubt the figures will be on hand in time. The totals of the enumeration of 1880 were before the Congress which was in existence when it was taken two months before the close of the term. If the men in charge of next year's count do as well as this the President will be elected in 1892 under conditions more favorable to the Republicans than those which prevailed in 1888.

Death of Hon. William H. Barnum.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 1. Hon. Wm. H. Barnum, chairman of the National Democratic committee, died at Lime Rock, at 9:45 a. m. yesterday. Mr. Barnum had been confined to his bed for two or three days, and for the last twenty-



Ex Senator Wm. H. Barnum.

four hours his death had been momentarily expected. He was out for the last time on Friday last, when he sat on the piazza for an hour. Saturday he was taken with a bad spell and it was apparent from the first that he could not recover. He had been very feeble ever since his sickness during the Presidential campaign.

BASE-BALL.

Games Played Tuesday, April 30.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Indianapolis—Indianapolis 6, Chicago, 5.
Pittsburgh—Pittsburghs, 11, Clevelands, 5.
Second Game—Pittsburghs, 6, Clevelands, 1.
Philadelphia—Philadelphias, 7; Bostons, 6.
New York—New Yorks, 9, Washingtons, 7.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Brooklyn—Baltimores, 5; Brooklyns, 1. **Second Game**—Brooklyns, 7, Baltimores, 2.
St. Louis—St. Louis, 3, Louisvilles, 2. **Second Game**—St. Louis, 6, Louisvilles, 1.
Kansas City—Kansas City, 8, Cincinnatis, 5.
Columbus—Columbus, 9, Athletics, 8.

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The Inauguration Centennial Celebration Continued on a Magnificent Scale.

The Religious Ceremonies at Old St. Paul's, Where Washington Worshiped.

The Identical Bible Present on Which the First President Took the Oath of Office.

The Journey to the Sub-Treasury Building, Where the Literary Exercises Were Held.

Beautiful Poem by John G. Whittier and Eloquent Address by Chauncey Depew.

A Great Military Pageant, with Between Fifty and Sixty Thousand Men in Line,

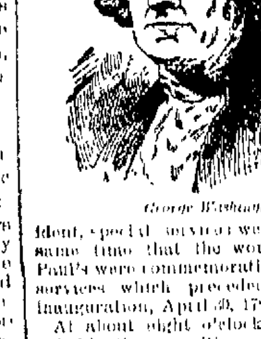
Detains the President in the Reviewing Stand for Six Long Hours.

A Thirty-Five Thousand-Dollar Banquet with the Grandest Menu Ever Served.

The Day in Other Cities Its Observance General from Ocean to Ocean.

The Religious Observances.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Long before nine o'clock, the hour appointed for the special service of thanksgiving held at St. Paul's chapel, Broadway and Vesey street, the streets in the vicinity of the church were filled to overflowing with sight-seers eager to gain a glimpse of the President and his party as they came to attend the service and upon the second day's observance of the Centennial celebration. In the various churches throughout the city, pursuant to the proclamation of the President,



George Washington.

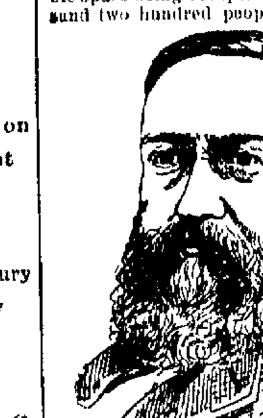
special services were held at the same time that the worshipers at St. Paul's were commemorating the religious services which preceded Washington's inauguration, April 30, 1789.

At about eight o'clock carriages provided by the committee on States drew up in front of the Fifth-avenue Hotel. A few minutes later Chief-Justice Fuller, the members of the Cabinet, and the invited guests entered the carriages, and were driven to No 58 Fifth avenue, the residence of Vice-President Morton, whose guest the President is. Here the President and Vice-President were escorted by the committee to their respective carriages, and then, preceded by a platoon of mounted police, the procession started for St Paul's chapel. Before it reached the chapel the crowd surrounding the Vesey-street entrance had increased to such proportions that it was with great difficulty the police could keep a way clear for the carriages of the guests, who had for some time been arriving.

At a little before nine o'clock every one who was fortunate enough to possess one of the precious lavender-colored tickets necessary for admission, had entered the historic old church and was awaiting the President's arrival. St. Paul's clock had but just tolled the hour of nine, when the Presidential party made its appearance. The committee of the vestry of Trinity church met President Harrison at the Vesey-street gate and escorted him to the west porch of the chapel, where the rector and full vestry of St Paul's received him. The President was then escorted to the Washington pew on the north side of the chapel which he and his Cabinet occupied, the rest of the party being given seats near by.

The following committee on aisles conducted the President to his seat: David Augustus Clarkson, chairman, a descendant of Chancelor Livingston; Howland Pell, secretary, a descendant of John Pell; Hallett Alsop Borrowe, representing the Hallett and Alsop families, Temple Bowdoin, a descendant of General Alex Hamilton; Amory Sibley Carhart, a great-great-grandson of Major Cornelius Carhart and of Colonel Joseph Beavers, of the revolutionary army; Banyer Clarkson, a descendant of Chief-Justice Jay; John Langdon Erving, great-great-grandson of John Langdon; Dr. John Clarkson Jay, great-grandson of Chief-Justice John Jay; Edward A. Leroy, Jr., a descendant of Jacob Leroy; Philip L. Livingston; Edward de Peyster Livingston, a descendant of Chancelor Robert R. Livingston; Wm Bard McVickar, a descendant of Samuel Bard; Richard McCrolin Montgomery, a descendant of General Wm. Malcolm; Newbold Morris, great-great-grandson of Lewis Morris; Ludlow Ogden, representing the Ludlow and Ogden families; T. J. Oakley Rhinelander, great-grandson of Henry Cruger; Winthrop Rutherford, a descendant of Colonel John Rutherford; Wm. H. Russell, a descendant of the Alexander and Rutherford families; Samuel Auchmuty Tucker, a descendant of Rev. Dr. Samuel Auchmuty; Augustus Van Cordlandt, a decendant of August Van Cordlandt; Charles Van Rensalaer, representing the Van Rensalaer family; Robert T. Varnum, representing General James M. Varnum; John Tillotson Wainwright, great-great-grandson of Chancelor Livingston, and J. Louis Webb, great-great-grandson of General Samuel B. Webb.

The chapel was now filled, every available space being occupied. Fully one thousand two hundred people were present.



President Harrison.

Prof. Leo Koffer, who presided at the organ had been playing a medley of patriotic airs while the congregation was being seated. He now began the processional hymn "Old Hundred," which he played with full organ. The choir took it up and sang the grand old hymn as it has rarely been sung before. The choir consisted of a well-drilled chorus under the direction of Prof. Koffer, and a double quartette. After the processional hymn the Lord's Prayer was repeated by the clergy and people, followed by the usual versicles. The choir then sang Psalm 85, an anthem by G. A. McFarren., after which the first lesson, Ecclesiastics 41, was read. The Te Deum Laudamus in E flat for double chorus, by R. P. Stewart, followed, and the second lesson, St. John 8, was read. A portion of the Benedicite, by Rogers, was sung, after which the Nicene Creed was repeated by the clergy and people, followed by a few selected prayers. The special prayer of thanksgiving used at St Paul's, and by all the Episcopal churches throughout the country, was as follows:

O, God, whose name is excelent in all the earth, and whose glory is above the heavens. We bless Thee for the great things Thou hast done and art doing for the children of men. We consider the days of old, the years of ancient time, and unto Thee we do give thanks. Moreover, we yield Thee most high praise for the wonderful grace and virtue declared in all those, Thy children, who have been the lights of the world in their several generations for raising up Thy servant, George Washington, and giving him to be a leader and commander to the people, for vouchsafing to him victory over kings, and for bestowing upon him many excellent gifts, for inclining the hearts of men in Congress assembled to wise choices, and for granting them visions of the days to come; for a settled Constitution, and for equal laws; for freedom to do the thing that is right and liberty to say the truth; for the spread of knowledge everywhere, and for the preservation of the faith, we bless and magnify Thy holy name, humbly beseeching Thee to accept this, our sacrifice of thanks and praise, through Jesus Christ, our only Saviour and Redeemer.

Two other special prayers were used, one asking a blessing upon President Harrison, and the other for the welfare of the country.

After prayers, Rev. Henry C. Potter, Bishop of New York, delivered the address. The service concluded with the Recessional hymn.

The Presidential party was then escorted by the vestry to the west porch, where the President was received by the Centennial literary committee. The party then proceeded to the Sub-Treasury building at the corner of Wall and Nassau streets, where the old Federal building stood in which Washington took the oath of office in 1789. Here the literary exercises were held.

The order of carriages on the way to the Sub-Treasury building was as follows:

First carriage. The mayor of the City of New York and Hon. Hamilton Fish, president of the Centennial celebration committee.

Second carriage. The President of the United States and the committee on literary exercises.

Third carriage.—The Secretaries of the Treasury, War and Navy.

Fourth carriage.—The Secretary of the Interior, Postmaster-General, Attorney-General and Secretary of Agriculture.

Fifth and sixth carriage.—The Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Seventh carriage.—The General of the army, the Admiral of the navy, Senator Evarts, Senator Hiscock.

Eighth carriage.—Ex-Presidents Cleveland and Hayes.

Ninth carriage.—Bishop Potter, Dr. Storrs and Dr. Dix.

Tenth carriage.—The committee on plan and scope.

The Literary Exercises.

NEW YORK, April 30.—In front of the platform of the Sub-Treasury building, where the literary exercises connected with the Centennial celebration took place, a sea of heads greeted the eye, and all about the spot, from Broadway to William street, and as far as one could see down Broad street, eager thronging humanity was packed. It was next to impossible for one to make his way through the crowds that were struggling for places of vantage near the platform.

The platform and canopies extended all the way from the eastern line of the Assay-office, along the fronts of that building and the Sub-Treasury on Wall street, and also around on the Nassau-street side of the Sub-Treasury. The decoration of the Sub-Treasury was most elaborate, and certainly has never been equaled before in the memory of any New Yorker. National colors in silk and bunting, shields, eagles, mottoes, portraits of revolutionary characters and many other devices contributed to the grand display, and had a most superb effect.

The special stand from which the speakers addressed the people was built directly in front of the statue of Washington which stood majestically forth above all. Washington's statue itself stands in a bower of National colors and devices. One especially notable feature of the decoration was a large presidential flag sent from Washington, where it was made for the occasion at the Naval Department. The flag is ten by seventeen feet, and is artistically draped on the front of the building.

While the services in St. Paul's chapel were being held the Twenty-second Regiment band, under the leadership of Prof. P. S. Gilmore, gave a concert at the Sub-Treasury. The band began the programme at nine o'clock, and continued until the literary exercises commenced. The President and party were due at ten o'clock, but it was a little later when they arrived. The literary committee escorted the President from St. Paul's down Broadway to Wall, and down Wall to the Sub-Treasury. As the President's carriage passed along the crowded thoroughfare, the waiting multitudes on the sidewalks cheered again and again, until his way seemed to be a triumphal procession, greeted with one prolonged roar of cheers. The President's reception at the Sub-Treasury was most enthusiastic. As soon as Gilmore caught sight of the President's carriage he lifted his baton, and the full Twenty-second Regiment band played "Hail to the Chief." During the playing of this, the President alighted and was escorted to his seat on the platform. The members of his Cabinet grouped themselves about him, and the other invited guests were seated near. As soon as all was arranged and quiet was gained, Mr. Elbridge T. Gerry, chairman of the committee on literary exercises, stepped to the front of the platform and addressed the assemblage as follows

FELLOW CITIZENS:—One hundred years ago on this spot, George Washington, as first President of the United States, took his oath of office upon the Holy Bible. That sacred volume is here to-day, silently attesting the basis upon which our nation was constructed and the dependence of our people upon Almighty God in the words then, of one of the founders of the Government, with hearts overflowing with gratitude to our Sovereign Benefactor for granting to us existence, for continuing to the present period, and for accumulating on us blessings spiritual and temporal through life, may we with fervor beseech Him to so continue them as best to promote His glory and our welfare.

Rev. Dr. Richard S. Storrs then offered prayer.

The following poem by John Greenleaf Whittier, was read by Clarence A Bowen.

THE VOW OF WASHINGTON.

The sword was sheathed: in April's sun
Lay green the fields by Freedom won,
And severed sections weary of debates,
Joined hands at last and were United States.

O City, sitting by the Sea!
How proud the day that dawned on thee,
When the new era, long desired, began,
And, in its need, the hour had found the man!

One thought the cannon salvos spoke
The resonant bell-tower's vibrant stroke,
The voiceful streets, the plaudit-echoing halls,
And prayer and hymn borne heavenward from St. Paul's

How felt the land in every part
The strong throb of a nation's heart,
As its great leader gave, with reverent awe,
His pledge to Union, Liberty and Law!

That pledge the heavens above him heard,
That vow the sleep of centuries stirred
In world wide wonder listening peoples bent
Their gaze on Freedom's great experiment.

Could it succeed? Of honor sold
And hopes deceived all history told,
Above the wrecks that strewed the mournful past,
Was the long dream of ages true at last?

Thank God! the people's choice was just,
The one man equal to his trust,
Wise beyond lore and without weakness good,
Calm in the strength of flawless rectitude!

His rule of justice, order, peace,
Made possible the world's release;
Taught Prince and serf that power is but a trust,
And rule, alone, which serves the ruled, is just;

That Freedom generous is, but strong
In hate of fraud and selfish wrong,
Pretense that turns her holy truth to lies,
And lawless license masking in her guise.

Land of his love! with one glad voice
Let thy great sisterhood rejoice,
A century's suns o'er thee have risen and set,
And, God be praised, we are one Nation yet.

And still, we trust, the years to be
Shall prove his hope was destiny,
Leaving our flag with all its added stars
Unrent by faction and unstained by wars!

Lo! where with patient toil he nursed
And trained the new set plant at first,
The widening branches of a stately tree
Stretch from the sunrise to the sunset sea.

And in its broad and sheltering shade,
Sitting with none to make afraid,
Were we now silent, through each mighty limb
The winds of heaven would sing the praise of him.

Our first and best!—his ashes lie
Beneath his own Virginian sky
Forgive, forget, O true, and just, and brave,
The storm that swept above thy sacred grave!

For, ever in the awful strife
And dark hours of the Nation's life,
Through the fierce tumult pierced his warning word,
Their father's voice his erring children heard!

The change for which he prayed and sought
In that sharp agony was wrought;
No partial interest draws its alien line
'Twixt North and South, the cypress and the pine.

One people now, all doubt beyond,
His name shall be our union bond.
We lift our hands to Heaven, and here and now,
Take on our lips the old centennial vow.

For rule and trust must needs be ours,
Chooser and chosen both are powers
Equal in service as in rights, the claim
Of Duty rests on each and all the same

Then let the sovereign millions, where
Our banner floats in sun and air,
From the warm palm lands to Alaska's cold,
Repeat with us the pledge a century old!

Oak Knoll, Danvers, Mass

After the applause that greeted the poem subsided, Hon. Chauncey M. Depew stepped forwarded to deliver the oration he had written for the occasion. Mr. Depew's appearance was the signal for a generous burst of applause, and it was some minutes before he could begin. He spoke in a loud tone of voice, and was heard by a large audience. The address was one of the most eloquent historical orations ever delivered before an American audience.

The President then made a short address. His reception by the spectators was most enthusiastic. The crowd cheered wildly for some time. When silence was finally gained, the President said.

These proceedings are of a very exacting character and make it quite impossible that I should deliver an address on this occasion. At an early date I notified your committee that the programme must not contain any address by me. The selection of Mr Depew as the orator on this occasion made further speech not only difficult, but superfluous. He has met the demand of the occasion on its own high level. He has brought before us the incidents of the ceremonies of the great Inauguration of Washington. We seem to be a part of the admiring and almost adoring throng that filled these streets a hundred years ago, to greet the always-inspiring presence of Washington. He was the incarnation of duty, and he teaches us to-day this great lesson, that those who would associate their names with events that shall outlive a century can only do so by the highest consecration to duty. He was like the captain who goes to sea and throws overboard his cargo of rags that he may gain safety and deliverance for his imperilled fellowmen. Washington seemed to come to the discharge of the duties of his high office with a great sense of his unfamiliarity with the position newly thrust upon him, modestly doubtful of his own ability, but trusting implicitly in the helpfulness of that God who rules the world, presides in the consciences of nations, and his power to control human events. We have made a marvelous progress in material events since then, but the stately and enduring shaft we have built at the National Capital at Washington symbolizes the fact that he is still the first American citizen.

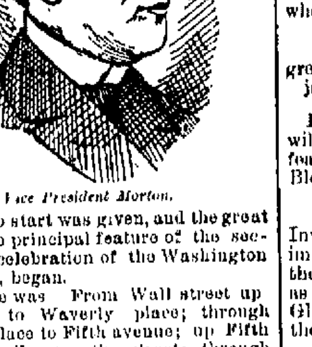
When the President had ceased speaking, a benediction was pronounced by Most Rev. Michael Corrigan, Roman Catholic Archbishop of New York.

At the conclusion of the literary exercises, the President, the members of the Cabinet, the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the United States, and others of the Presidential party who came from St. Paul's chapel, entered their carriages and were driven up Broadway to the reviewing stand in Madison Square.

The Great Parade.

NEW YORK, April 30.—At an early hour this morning troops of soldiers, veterans, militiamen from out of town in smart uniforms, squads of New York State regiments and G. A. R. in vast numbers began to make their way to their various rendezvous up town to assemble for the great parade. Detachments began marching down town long before the hour appointed for the start, and during the services at St. Paul's chapel formed in the streets on either side of Broadway in the lower part of the city. By the time the Presidential party left St. Paul's for the Sub-Treasury most of the troops which took part in the parade were massed about Wall, Pine, Rector and other streets in the vicinity. All the troops, with the exception of the Grand Army, were stationed so that they entered Broadway below Pine street, thus giving those who occupied points of observation down town an opportunity to witness the entire parade. The route of the procession was lined with such vast crowds that passage along the streets was impossible. From curbstone to the adjacent buildings the multitudes was packed in without regard to human comfort, and ill-betide the luckless mortal who was sick or weak. Individual rights were not to be thought of, and the weak went to the wall literally to the wall of the houses and away from the curb-stone and the center of attraction. The lamp-posts were all occupied by hardy street boys, and every fence and railing that offered even a precarious foothold was at a premium. The streets themselves were filled with people who, before the procession started, were driven along and out of the line of march by a platoon of police.

Every thing was in readiness for the start at ten o'clock, and as soon as the President had passed the corner of Wall street and Broadway on his way to the Sub-Treasury, officers began to give orders to their waiting men; horsemen looked to their horses and saw that all was right, and the bands of music got ready for the start. As soon as the literary exercises began at the Sub-Treasury



Vice President Morton.

the word to start was given, and the great parade, the principal feature of the second day's celebration of the Washington centennial, began.

The route was From Wall street up Broadway to Waverly place; through Waverly place to Fifth avenue; up Fifth avenue to Fourteenth street; through Fourteenth street to the east side of Union Square; around Union Square to west side to Fifteenth street; Fifteenth street to Fifth avenue; Fifth avenue to Fifty-seventh street.

Previous to the start the Grand Army of the Republic had been formed by their Grand Marshal, Colonel Wm. P. Walton, on streets west of Fifth avenue and moved through East Fifteenth street, Broadway, East Seventeenth street, Fourth avenue, East Fourteenth street, Fifth avenue, Waverly place and Broadway to Duane street. On reaching that point the line was formed through the entire route enumerated in double rank against the west curb of Broadway, the south curb of Waverly place, the west curb of Fifth avenue, the north curb of Fourteenth street, the west curb of Fourth avenue, the south curb of Seventeenth street, the east curb of Broadway and the south curb of Fifteenth street, the right resting on Fifth avenue, thus fronting a solid line of men on one side of the route as far as Seventeenth street. The column moved from the head of Wall street, there being between fifty and sixty thousand men in line.

The most impressive feature of the day occurred when the literary exercises at the Sub-Treasury were over. The Presidential party, in eleven carriages, drove over the route of the procession up to the reviewing stand in Madison Square between two lines of troops drawn up at either curb of the street. The President's carriage was drawn by four horses in silver harness. It had two footmen. The other carriages were drawn by two horses. During the literary exercises the van of the parade, which had started when the exercises began, had marched a long distance up town, but had not reached Madison Square. When Archbishop Corrigan had pronounced the benediction at the Sub-Treasury, word was given to some of the marshal's aides who were waiting, and they passed along the line giving the order for each officer to halt his company. In this manner the whole procession was halted from Wall street to the head of the line up town. Then, at the order of the officers, the troops below Duane street divided, part forming a continuous line on the western curb of Broadway and part forming a line on the eastern curb. Above Duane street the G. A. R. men were drawn up in line on the western curb, and the regulars and militia made a line opposite the veterans. This order prevailed from Wall street throughout the line of march as far as Seventeenth street where the head of the procession was resting. Then between these living walls the President and his party were driven, up Broadway to Waverly place; through Waverly place to Fifth avenue; up Fifth avenue to Fourteenth street; through East Fourteenth street to the east side of Union Square; along the Square to Fifteenth street; through Fifteenth street to Fifth avenue, and up Fifth avenue to Madison Square.

As the President's carriage passed along through the lines, the soldiers saluted and the crowds on the sidewalks, in the windows and on the house-tops cheered themselves hoarse. After the party had passed, each regiment and division fell in line again and resumed their former ranks and waited for the word to proceed, which was not given until the President had reached the reviewing stand.

Arriving at the reviewing stand in Madison Square the President was received by the committee on the army and escorted to his seat on the grand-stand. The order was then given to resume the march, and soon the column came in sight as it approached the Square, coming up Fifth avenue. The troops marched well and presented a fine appearance as they passed the reviewing stand.

The President did not attempt to stand during the whole of the time while the regiments passed in review, but at times he stood in front of the stand, supported on either side by members of the committee on army. Governor Hill and Mayor Grant were also one on each side of him.

Bands of music were distributed profusely throughout the parade, and each band played its most stirring and brilliant music as it passed the stand of the Chief Magistrate. After passing in review the lines closed up a little so that no break or halt would occur at the reviewing stand. The troops marched up Fifth avenue to Fifty-eighth street where they were dismissed.

The parade was not over until very late in the afternoon, and the portions of the city off on the side streets were made lively until a late hour by the disbanded regiments returning to their armories or rendezvous.

After the last detachment had passed the reviewing stand the President was taken in charge by the committee on arrangements and escorted back to the residence of Vice-President Morton at No. 85 Fifth avenue, and the greatest parade in point of significance that New York has ever seen was over.

One of the chief attractions of the parade was the Seventh New York State Regiment. The ladies everywhere along the route gave the Seventh a rousing welcome, which must have cheered the boys on their march and inspired them with fresh courage as they passed each group of their admirers.

The Twenty-second Regiment also received a large amount of attention, especially from the ladies. Outside of these favorites, the sailors, in their blue suits with white leggings, captured the greatest applause. Some of these tars are just home from long cruises, and this fact was undoubtedly remembered as they trudged along, eliciting a storm of applause.

PEORIA *Transcript*: We notice that the Hon. Whitelaw Reid has been given a farewell dinner. This will no doubt brace him up for the trying ordeal through which he will be expected to pass. We understand that Mr. Reid is an elegant eater, doesn't use a knife while devouring pie, wears his napkin in the second buttonhole of his vest, and that a dress coat sits on his shoulders in such a way as to give him a highly distingue and recherche appearance. We see no earthly reason why Mr. Reid should not make an excellent minister. There are good many very poor editors who would do well abroad.

PERU *Chronicle-Telegraph*: It is a well established fact that a wide-awake boy will resort to almost any sort of expedient to escape "thrashings," be these exercises of parental discipline regular in recurrence or only sporadic. But it is left to a Hoosier youth of 17 years to adopt, almost a desperate means to escape the fatherly lashing. After enduring a somewhat severe correction with a plow-line, the boy poured the tale of his trouble into the willing ear of a neighboring spinster, red-headed and hopeful in spite of her 41 years of single blessedness. When she suggested that he could escape future castigations by running away and marrying her, the boy took her at her word, they eloped and the twain were made one by a justice of the peace. Just how far the young fellow's matrimonial experiment will work in saving him from punishment time alone can show; but it is possible he may realize when the knowledge comes to late that he hopped from the frying pan into the fire.

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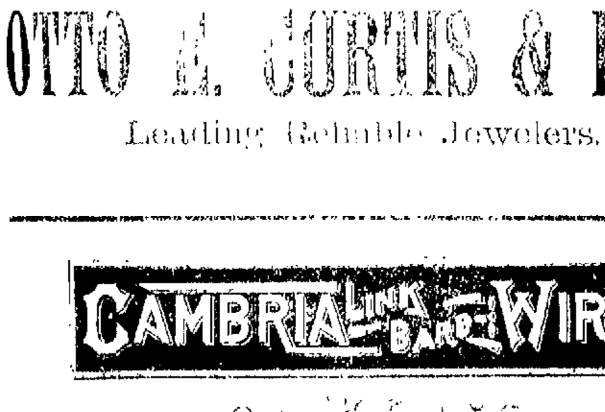

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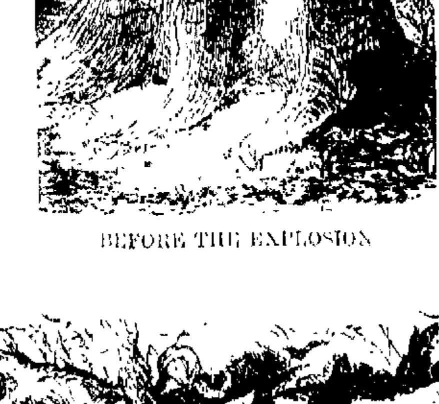

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LOCAL NEWS.

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MAY first.

MATINEE only, afternoon May 9 at the opera house.

THE children returned to the school houses this morning.

NO FROST last night. It was cool enough early in the evening to bring it.

BARON WERNER is building an eight room house on North Union street.

THE newly elected constables and justices will go on duty Monday next.

SOME of the grandest artists in America are with Gilmore for this concert tour.

THE L. & M. paints are warranted not to fade or scale. They are economical and durable. Sold only by S. M. Irwin.

TICKETS to "Deestrick Skewl" can be secured at Prescott's music store beginning Friday morning. Reserved seats without extra charge.

COLORADO society will engage in their May ball at Light Guard hall this evening.

THE comedy-drama, "Wells-Fargo Messenger," will be the play to-night at the opera house.

ON Tuesday William Sawyer shipped a car load of cattle from Troutman station to Chicago.

THE ladies of St. John's Aid Society will give a dramatic entertainment at the opera house at an early date for the benefit of the new church fund.

ASSESSOR KESLER, who began his work to-day, has appointed the following deputies: W. A. Holman, J. S. Carter, R. W. Ferguson, Walter C. and Lucy Keeler. Mr. Holman will make the assessment in the township outside of the city.

ORDER the celebrated White Foam flour. It is made by Hatfield & Co.

CALL up Niedermeyer by telephone for fresh butter and family groceries.

MASON LONG held forth in Lincoln Square this forenoon and took up a collection. It is said he pays his singers $20 to $25 a week each, and that he just about pays traveling expenses.

AARON POUND has been engaged to teach the "Deestric Skewl," and it will begin on Monday, the sixth day of May. The said Aaron is a virtuous young man of great learning, and knows how to use the rod.

DR. T. S. HOSKINS, the dentist, is now prepared to give gas for the painless extraction of teeth. Perfectly reliable no danger whatever. Office up stairs, corner Main and Water streets. 22-d1m

IT is stated that a Pekin firm of ice dealers will go into business in Decatur. They say they will put wagons on the streets in a few days.

FOUR Good Barbers at Grist's Opera House Barber Shop, no waiting. Clean Towels. 30-d1w

A CHOICE line of vegetables and country butter on sale at Hanks & Patterson's grocery store.

THE T. H. & P., boys have organized a base ball club with Brugh Werner as pitcher and Harry Kennedy as catcher. They are now ready to receive challenges from all other city clubs.

DEAL with the Moore Bro.'s in opera block. Their stock of family groceries is complete.

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IT will pay you to call on C. B. Prescott when in quest of a Haines piano. It will make your home happy and be a cheer to you many an evening. Buy one.

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THE rear end of a heavy wagon driven by James McBride was struck last evening at the Jasper street crossing of the Wabash road, and one wheel torn off. It was a narrow escape for McBride who may well congratulate himself on his good luck. Had he been less impatient and waited until the rapidly moving train had passed the expense of repairing the wagon would not have faced him this morning.

THE best of fruits, berries and vegetables in season at J. Lytle & Co.'s family grocery store.

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Festival

At Monitor Band Hall, (over Danzeisen's meat market,) on Friday evening, May 3. Ice cream, and cake, sweetmeats, etc. Admission, 10 cents. 1-d3

Condolence.

The following resolutions were adopted Sunday by Faithful Lodge No. 119, I. O. G. T.:

WHEREAS, In the development of the wise plans of an over ruling Providence, we are called upon to mourn the departure from this life of our beloved brother and Chief Templar, Ernest I. Underwood, therefore

Resolved, That in his death Faithful Lodge No. 119, I. O. G. T., sustains the loss of one of our most cherished members, whose cheerful christian disposition rendered him alike helpful either as an officer or member.

Resolved, That we deplore his early demise and extend to his sorrowing mother and relatives our heartfelt sympathy in this hour of their bereavement, and point them to that source of comfort which was the support of our deceased brother.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the mother of our departed brother as a token of our sympathy.

S. B. N. VAUGHAN,
JOHN W. SPENCE,
J. H. COLEMAN, Com.

CHARGES AGAINST KABRICK.

Plan to Bounce Him from Janes' Chapel—Church Trial.

As the natural outcome of the recent assault of J. H. Kabrick on Thomas Peniwell, the one-armed city ticket agent for the T. H. & P. road, and a brother member of Janes' Chapel, the offender is to be given a legal roast before Justice Curtis on city and state warrants for assault, and then he will undergo a church trial at which no doubt much of the trouble which has been fomented at the chapel for several months will be laid bare. After making the assault on Mr. Penwell Monday night, Mr. Kabrick called on Justice Provost and voluntarily paid a fine of $3.60, but that act does not relieve him from further fines which may be assessed by any other justice. He is to have his examination in Justice Curtis' court Saturday afternoon at one o'clock on the state warrant, and an army of witnesses will be present to detail the circumstances of the knock-down.

A CHURCH TRIAL.

Charges of immoral conduct have been preferred against Mr. Kabrick by Mr. Penwell, and the bill of charges has been signed and delivered to the pastor of the Chapel, Rev. D. Gay. The specifications are assault and assault and battery. Rev. Gay has fixed Monday May 13, at 9 a. m., as the time of the trial which will be held at the Chapel. Rev. Gay will appoint the trial committee and select an attorney to prosecute the case. No doubt Mr. Kabrick will make a vigorous fight to defeat the case and retain his membership in the church.

About twelve years ago, we are informed, Mr. Kabrick was a member of the Illinois Conference in good standing. He was in charge of the Decatur Methodist circuit for awhile, but soon afterward a bill of charges was filed against him, but the case never came to trial. Mr Kabrick withdrew from the Conference and his parchments were surrendered. They are now in possession of the Conference. He has been a member of the Chapel and a Sabbath school teacher. The membership has developed a factional spirit and trouble has resulted. The regularly appointed pastor resigned some months ago, and the church for awhile was in charge of Rev. Jas. Miller, who surrendered it to the presiding elder, Rev. M. D. Hawes. The Elder held on for awhile and then made it a part of the Decatur circuit, with Rev. D. Gay as pastor. The differences are so varied and multiplied that no pretense of giving the facts can be made at this time. They will be sifted and developed at the church trial, when such as may be of general interest will be published.

There is no question, however, that Mr. Peniwell was knocked down by Mr. Kabrick. There were several witnesses of the assault.

The trouble grew out of the discharge of Ed. Thayer as janitor and the official order placing the church keys in charge of Mr. Penwell.

E. A. WEST had the Zouaves out for drill yesterday afternoon at the corner of West Main and Pine streets.

SOME important changes in one or two departments of the city government are predicted, but they will not be made known until after the new members of the council take their seats.

A Shocking Accident.

A very sad mishap occurred yesterday afternoon on the Illinois Central railroad below the tray factory. Two men were operating a hand car and two boys were on board. One of the boys was Johnny Edwards, the 11 year old son of Joe Edwards, who resides at 408 South Franklin street. The handle of the car struck Johnny on the head and he fell part way off the car. His coat caught on the car and he was dragged along some distance until the coat tore loose, the boy rolling down the embankment. The boy was borne unconscious to his home, when his invalid mother sent for a doctor. Dr. Myers came and found that the boy had been shockingly injured. He received a deep cut on the head, his left ear was nearly torn off, his upper lip and nose were cut, and half the teeth in one of the lower jaws were knocked out. The boy will possibly recover. His condition is precarious. He is an only child and the father is bowed down with sorrow. Johnny had been engaged by a man to take a note to the water works and had got on the hand car at the T. H. & P. depot to make the journey in a hurry.

ATTORNEY JAMES M. LEE has removed his office from 149 South Water street, and is now permanently located in the rooms formerly occupied by Bunn & Park, situated over Ferriss & Lapham's shoe store. Mr. Lee has been here but a short time. However he is a genuine "hustler" and undoubtedly will soon command an extensive practice.

LAST evening Goodman's Band wound up the Washington celebration day by giving a grand free concert from the pagoda in Central Park. Hundreds of people were out to hear the splendid music.

MASON LONG and his quartette were with us two days, gave the crowds good talks and better music. The reformed gambler himself' passed through the crowds to receive any contributions the people saw fit to give him.

FOR constipation, "liver complaint," or biliousness, sick headache, and all diseases arising from a disordered condition of the liver and stomach, take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets -a gentle laxative or active cathartic, according to size of dose.

Removed.

Miss Frances I. Clegg has removed her dressmaking parlors to Rooms 26 and 27 in the Gallagher Block. 29-d1w

Ahrens & Damrow,

Successors to Fred Kuny, wish to remind all former, present and future patrons of the Decatur Bottling Works that they carry in stock an ample supply of the celebrated Budweiser, Ph. Best's Milwaukee, St. Louis Pearl and Decatur Brg. Beer, put up in quart and pint bottles, and are prepared to deliver the same promptly on short notice to the trade and to all private families. Also have the best known facilities to supply all with Ginger Ale, Soda Water and numerous other summer drinks.
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Ford Greer a Benedict.

The marriage of Mr. Ford W. Greer, of Lafayette, Ind., and Miss Mary Kreitter was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents at Norfolk, Nebraska, on Saturday afternoon, April 27. The father of the bride is J. W. Kreither. The groom is a son of the late Judge S. F. Greer and a brother of Mrs. F. B. Caldwell, of Chicago, and Mrs. W. R. Abbott, of Decatur. He is connected with street railway interests at Lafayette and is in the fine stock business.

Flyers.

Billy Downing will have two rapid trotters to handle this season. One is "Billy G," in the 2:22 class, and the other is "Nettie B," in the three minute class. Both horses will begin their racing season at Terre Haute on June 6th.

"THE TWO ORPHANS" drama was put on the stage last night by the Baldwin-Melville company in elaborate style and a large audience was present to enjoy the performance. Miss Melville and Miss Eckert were the orphans. Miss Wilson old *Frochard*, Miss Bradwell *Florette*, Mr. Johnson *Pierre*, and Mr. Crane *Jacques*. It was the first appearance of an old favorite, James E. Nelson, who assumed the heroic role of the *Chevalier*. He and Miss Eckert were called before the curtain at the end of the second act. It was a smooth performance throughout. To-night the comedy drama will be "Wells-Fargo Messenger." It is a good company. Go.

Willis Johnson is 69.

The birthday surprise party and big dinner in honor of Willis Johnson, Sr., came off to-day and was a huge success. The neatly printed invitations were signed by Mrs. Johnson, the party in vehicles meeting at the fair grounds at 10 a. m. and proceeding in a body to the Johnson residence, three miles northwest of the city. Mr. Johnson is 69 years old to-day. He was completely surprised. Many friends gave him valuable birthday presents.

An Adjourned Meeting.

Last night a meeting of members of the Young Men's Christian Association was held for the transaction of very important business, but an adjournment was taken until to-morrow (Thursday) evening, *at 7:30 o'clock*. President Wells requests a full attendance of members.

THE grandest concert ever given by Gilmore's famous band in this city will take place at the opera house Thursday afternoon, May 9th, at 2:30 o'clock this being the 20th anniversary of the great Boston Jubilee. A number of special features will be introduced, the cannons will be used, and the greatest vocal artists that ever appeared in this country have been engaged for this tour and will take part in the great program.

Sales of Real Estate.

Noah Ball to Benj. F. Ball, 10 acres in 22, 16, 1 west, $150.

Henry M. Whitmer to Edwin B. Mason, tract of land in 14, 16, 2 east, $300.

Perry H. Smith et al to Lucy V. Jewett, quit claim to land in 14, 22, 23, all in 16, 1 west, $1.00.

Robert S. McCormick to Lucy V. Jewett, quit claim to land in 14, 22, 23, all in 16, 1 west, $1.00.

James Millikin to W. C. Miller, tract of land in 15, 16, 2, $680.

James A. Roney to Missouri O. Green, lot 8, in block 1, in H. A. Wood's second addition to Decatur, on Division street, $400.

C. M. Allison and H. C. Hord to John Saybolt, bond for deed to lots 7 and 8, in North Park addition, $1050.

The Gilmore Jubilee.

Thursday afternoon, May 9, at 2:30 Decatur is to have one of the Twentieth Anniversary series of Monster Musical Festivals, to be conducted by Mr. P. S. Gilmore in the large cities of America, this spring, in commemoration of his great Boston Jubilee. It will be a genuine Jubilee in its character and magnitude, swelled in grandeur by the greatest of all bands, a number of the most noted vocal celebrities, such as Myron Whitney; the most charming American soprano, Mme. Blanche Stone—Barton, the charming American contralto, Miss Helen Dudley Campbell, and the dashing Swedish tenor, de Danckwardt, from the Royal Opera, Copenhagen.

The character of the music will be grand, patriotic, and popular, and in some of the numbers enlivened by the beating of anvils and firing of artillery, with the same wonderful accuracy which astonished the world at Boston Jubilees. Gilmore will be the hero of the present hour, as he was of the Jubilee times at the close of the war.

Masonic.

Special assembly of Decatur Council No. 16, R. and S. Masters, this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, for work. All select masters are invited.

J. N. BAKER, T. I. M.
N. L. KRONE, Rec.

W. C. T. U. Notes.

The Reading Circle formed under the auspices of the Decatur Y. will meet to complete the organization on Thursday evening. Miss Ada Boyd has been appointed superintendent. It is designed to take up the studies of a "School of Politics." Members of both Y Unions and all young people not connected with either society are cordially invited; while members of the mother Union will also be welcome. A full attendance should greet the leaders of this most praiseworthy undertaking. The meetings may become a source of both pleasure and profit to all.

The president of the World's W. C. T. U., Frances E. Willard, desires that services in the interest of that organization should be held by the local Unions. Such services will probably take the place of the usual gospel temperance meeting next Sunday. An interesting meeting may be expected and the hall should be filled.

The county convention will be held next Tuesday and Wednesday, May 7th and 8th, in Macon. The Union appointed as delegates Mrs. M. Stafford, Mrs. C. C. Hill and Mrs. S. R. Pitner. Mesdames Gay, Holt and Tramy were chosen alternates. Mrs. Stafford will read an essay, entitled "What is that in Thine Hand?" Mrs. Page will give a paper on "Flower Mission Work."

The program for last Thursday's readings consisted of Lincoln's Address on Temperance by Mrs. Stafford, "I know that my Redeemer Liveth," by Miss Ada Boyd, and "An Easter Legend" by Master Edson Snyder.

In holding the first of the Demorest Medal contests on the night of Centennial Day, the Decatur Y's have made a good beginning of the nation's second century. These contests have been productive of much good in many places. In Maroa they are said to have awakened great interest, many being turned away for want of room. SUPT. PRESS WORK.

MARRIED.

At his office on May 1, by Ira B. Curtis, J. P., John W. Ball, of Christian county, and Miss Mariah E. Pierson, of Buffalo, Ill.

In his parlor at the Hotel Brunswick, on April 30th, by Ira B. Curtis, J. P., William H. Lourash and Miss Nora Vest, both of Mt. Zion, Ill.

DIED.

Of heart disease, on April 30, on East Orchard street, William H. Pratt, aged 85 years.

Deceased was a native of Ireland and had been a resident of Illinois 23 years. He leaves a widow far advanced in age. There are no children.

At 904 North Calhoun street, of consumption, May 1, at 1 a. m., William Godfrey, aged 20 years. Funeral from the Catholic church to-morrow.

SNOW WHITE down sofa cushions, at Cox, Chamberlain & Co.'s, 106 Library Block. apr23-dtf

The Martha Washington Tea Party.

The ladies of the Sanctuary Chapter of St. John's church gave a very enjoyable Martha Washington tea party at the residence of Mrs. Charles P. Thatcher last evening. It was largely attended by the members and friends of the congregation. The rooms were beautifully draped with National emblems, and the ladies attending the tables were attired in the costumes of 100 years ago. During the evening Miss Burrows favored the company with a sweetly executed vocal solo. All of the young people and many elderly folk indulged in dancing. C. H. Henderson floor manager. The ladies in charge of the tables were:

Table No. 1—Misses Florence and Annie Rainey and Pet Buckingham.
Table No. 2—Miss Lucile Durfee, Miss Howes, and Mesdames Will Shellabarger and Chilson.
Table No. 3—Misses Alethea Fuller and Mary Roby.

The party was a pronounced social and financial success. The general admission was 10 cents, with 25 cents extra for the privilege of dancing. The refreshments included Russian tea, chocolate, ice cream and a variety of delicious cake.

The Day at the Academy.

The centennial inauguration of Washington was commemorated at St. Teresa's Academy on East Eldorado street yesterday afternoon by the bright pupils of the Catholic school. Patriotic decorations appeared in profusion, and the rooms were crowded with visitors to hear the music, to listen to the extra centennial address by Father Mackin and to enjoy the following program:

Song—"Welcome, Thou Festal Morn," by the School.
Reading—"Washington's Centennial Poem," Florence Montgomery.
Recitation—"America," Annie Brown.
Declamation—"A Young Washington," Martin Spellman.
Dialogue—"Our Flag," Junior Girls.
Song—"Star Spangled Banner," School.
Recitation—"Washington," Amelia Cantwell.
Dialogue—"1789 1889." This pretty dialogue was given by 11 little boys, seven representing 1789, who addressed 1889, represented by seven other little boys. Those who spoke on behalf of 1789 were James Dogan, Willie Adderly, Robert McGonigle, Tom McDermott, James Laux, Willie Kelley, Martin Spellman, while Willie Clark, Frank Gogerty, Mike Ryan, Tom Cuttle, George Holland and Frank Russell spoke for 1889.
Song—"Red, White and Blue," School.
Recitation—"My Country," May Marshall.
"Our Four (fore) Fathers"—Maurice P. Veale.
Recitation—"Washington's Farewell to His Army," John Morrissey.
Song—"America," School.

The children of the Academy are having their vacation to-day.

The Demorest Prize Contest.

The Y's celebrated the centennial of Washington's inauguration, last evening, by giving a Demorest Prize Contest. The hall was appropriately decorated and the following programme rendered:

Song "America"
Reading "Rules of the Contest" .... Miss May Locher
Solo .... Bert Giles
Recitation .... Miss May McKenzie
Declamation .... Wm. Locher
Duet .... Misses Lizzie Knieper and Lissa Jones
Recitation—"A Voice from the Poor House" .... Miss Nellie Hubbard
Recitation—"The Martyred Mother" .... Miss Simons
Recitation—"Dot Boy Fritz" .... Allison Barnard
Solo .... Miss McKenzie
Awarding prizes by judges Rev. Sellinger, E. A. Gastman and Mrs. J. G. Shea.

The contestants may all be congratulated upon the excellent manner in which their selections were rendered. The fortunate one, however, was A. F. Barnard, to whom the judges awarded the silver medal.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Morton L. Parker, of Chicago, is in the city on a brief visit.

Samuel McRoberts and wife departed last night for Huron, Dakota.

Mrs. R. C. Hamsher is in Chicago selecting a new stock of millinery goods.

Chas. P. Housum is expected to arrive home from Texas Friday morning.

Miss Beulah Whitset is home from Chicago on a visit to her mother. She is a teacher in Chicago schools.

Manager E. J. Martin, of the Decatur Electric Street Railway Co., has been in St. Louis since the council meeting Monday night.

Bob Ferguson has 400 policy holders of the U. S. Mutual Accident company in this community and 400 members of the Franklin Life Ins. Co.

Little Frankie Beall, son of Frank Beall, is suffering from a slight rupture, the result of a fall received some weeks ago while returning home one icy day from Sabbath school.

E. M. Crane and the ladies of the Baldwin-Melville dramatic company drove to the country in an open carriage this morning to view the beauties of nature and enjoy the fresh country breeze.

His Last Sermon.

Rev. W. H. Prestley, the retiring pastor of the Presbyterian church, has announced that he will deliver his farewell sermon on Sunday, May 12th.

Sleigh Bells

will for the present announce the coming of the Leffingwell oil wagon. 25 d61

Milam Township.

Mate Donor received a White Cap notice recently. It has not had the effect of exciting him to any very great extent, however. Such notices have become very frequent in this neighborhood. Such a spirit should be suppressed.

Last Friday afternoon the stable belonging to Mr. Andrew Braden was burned to the ground. It was with considerable difficulty that his horse was taken from the burning stable.

Chas. Esry visited Decatur the early part of the week; whether it was to interview Captain Rowell or to transact legal business we did not learn.

Henry Gleason is "in feathers and war paint," because the commissioners do not see fit to put in another bridge on the east line. Notwithstanding his threats of entering suit, they will be likely to do as they please, however. Keep cool, Henry. You know "a tempest in a teapot" is soon over.

Friday, the 19th inst., was a memorable date for Mr. David J. Freeland. On that evening his children, now all married and settled in life, gathered at the old home to celebrate the 70th return of his birthday. The whole affair was a surprise to Mr. Freeland. At the close of the festivities came another surprise in the presentation of a gold-headed cane as a memento of the occasion by his family. "Uncle Davy," as he is popularly called, is one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens in this part of the township, and his neighborhood and family join in wishing him many more birthdays as pleasantly to be spent. RIP VAN WINKLE.

THE value of a remedy should be estimated by its curative properties. According to this standard, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best and most economical blood medicine in the market, because the most pure and concentrated. Price $1. Worth $5 a bottle.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—81⅛ May; 81⅛ June; 79 July; 77 Aug.
CORN—33¼ May; 33⅞ June; 34⅝ July; 35¼ Aug.
OATS—22 May; 22¼ June; 22¼ July; 22¼ Aug.
PORK—$11.47 May; $11.52 June; $11.60 July.
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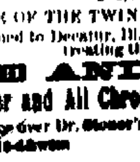

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Giant Glaciers of Alaska.

The southwestern face of St. Elias, it is safe to say, will never be climed; it presents a mass of broken snow, beautiful, yet forbidding. We estimated the summit to be about 7,000 feet above us, making its total height 18,500 feet. It seemed to us that the coast survey in giving it 19,500 feet was too liberal in its figures. The day was cloudless; the whole scene was one that baffles description. It surpassed in grandeur, though not in picturesqueness, the very best that the Alps can offer. Roughly speaking, the eye encountered for miles nothing but snow and ice. I had never before thoroughly realized the vastness of the Alaskan glaciers, though during the past fortnight we had spent many a weary hour in crossing immense moraines.

One of the glaciers we looked down upon was not less than sixty miles long, while another attained a breadth of twenty-five or thirty miles. From below I had gained the impression that ice covered with debris predominated over white ice. I now saw that this was not the case, and that the ratio of debris to clear ice was probably not greater than that of ten to one. When standing at a considerable height one appreciates for the first time the beautiful curves through which the glaciers alter their course. We noticed this in particular in looking down upon the Agassiz glacier. It appeared at one point to describe three or four arcs of concentric circles with radii varying from eight to ten miles, each arc being indicated by a light coating of stones, the whole resembling an immense race course. Through the middle of the Tyndall glacier, and for a distance of several miles, two light streaks of moraine ran parallel to each other, presenting from above the appearance of a huge serpent crawling the length of the glacier.—Scribner's Magazine.

Women Blacksmiths.

It is considered improper for women to work underground in a coal mine, writes a Dudley (England) correspondent. Is it not equally wrong for them to toil as blacksmiths? The scenes that occur in the smithies, especially in summer time, are quite opposed to the accepted notions of decency. The heat is intense. There are the forge fires, the red hot pieces of iron, and, above all, the tremendous labor of hammering out the iron. Even in wintry weather, with the snow on the ground, I have seen women perspire at their work. In the summer it simply results in an indecent abandonment of clothing. The fellahin of Egypt are better clothed than the women in a smithy's shop on a midsummer's day. Then, to bring the olive hammer down with greater force, it sometimes happens that two or three persons will spring on the treadle at once. This is generally done by boys and girls. They stand as close as possible, hold each other by the waist, and simultaneously spring with the right foot on the treadle. It is hardly necessary to add that the standard of morality is not high among the members of this trade, and would undoubtedly be much improved if the women were debarred from such work. Whether the men alone could earn enough to keep them is a question not so easy to answer, though there can be no doubt that their wages would greatly increase but for the competition of their wives and their sisters.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Unsafe.

A professional "funny man" says that he once gave a humorous lecture at which all his audience roared with laughter, with the exception of an old man in one of the front seats, who preserved an aspect of owl like solemnity. The humorist almost exhausted himself in efforts to win one smile from that stolid visage, and he was only relieved by hearing, after the lecture, that the man was stone deaf.

At a very hilarious family party, one old gentleman, famous for his appreciation of a joke, was observed to be absolutely silent, even when the fun was at its loudest. His unusual soberness of demeanor first puzzled and then disturbed his friends.

"Aren't you well to-night, uncle?" asked a young man, finally, drawing the old gentleman aside.

"Bless you, yes, I never felt better!"

"You're not troubled about anything?"

"Why, no! What makes you ask?"

"I noticed you didn't smile at all when all the rest of us were laughing, and that's something new, you know."

The old gentleman put his hand to his mouth, and whispered:

"Don't you say a word, Harry, but just now I can't laugh. I'm afraid to. I've just got my new set of teeth, and I aint fairly used to 'em."—Youth's Companion

Too Much Stage Kissing.

We commend to amateur actors, troubled with bad memories, the happy idea of our friend C., writes the "stage man" of The Baltimore American. Though a young man, he was to play the father, and the daughter chanced to be a very handsome woman. So when he forgot his part he could think of nothing better, while holding his "child," than to say:

"Kiss your father."

And each time when he felt his memory about to fail, he would save himself by crying out:

"Come to my arms, my child."

The husband of the daughter was heard to say that he thought "the author repeated himself very often."

He Will Not Forgive.

A precocious Poughkeepsie boy had his photograph "taken" the other day. His uncle, desiring to send one of the portraits to a friend in England, wrote the following on a slip of paper and asked the boy to copy it on the back of the portrait: "To Uncle ——'s English friend. From a little American boy." When the portrait and copy were given to the lad he shook his head and appeared dissatisfied. His mother asked him why he acted in that manner. "I ain't going to send my picture to the English, because they came over here and taxed us on tea," was the youngster's answer.—Kingston Freeman.

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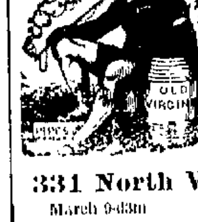

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In the Circuit Court, June Term, A. D. 1889.

C. W. Ramsburg, Executor, vs. Charles F. Nebleck et al—Partition.

Affidavit of the non-residence in said state of the said Maude Nebleck, Vesta Nebleck, May Morrison and Lonzo Morrison, four of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Maude Nebleck, Vesta Nebleck, May Morrison and Lonzo Morrison, that the above named complainant as the executor of Carrie Bell Nebleck, deceased, heretofore on the 12th day of April, 1889, filed his bill of complaint in the office of said clerk of said court, on the chancery side thereof, which said bill is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against all the defendants to said bill, returnable on the first day of the next June term of said court, to be held at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1889. Now, unless you, the said Maude Nebleck, Vesta Nebleck, May Morrison and Lonzo Morrison, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.
Dated Decatur, Ill., April 17th, 1889.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
Beach & Hodnett and Mills Bros., Sols. for Complainant. apr18-d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss.

In the Circuit Court of Said County to the June Term, A. D. 1889.

James Millikin vs. Thomas A. McIntyre and Henry L. Wardwell, Partners as McIntyre and Wardwell—In Chancery.

The above-named defendants, Thomas A. McIntyre and Henry L. Wardwell, partners as McIntyre and Wardwell, are hereby notified that the above-named James Millikin, the complainant, heretofore, to-wit on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1889, filed his bill of complaint against them as defendants, in the office of the clerk of said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons in said cause thereupon issued against them, the said defendants, out of said court, returnable into said court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county on the first Monday of June, A. D., 1889, which said bill and cause are now pending in said court.
E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Said Court.
Crea & Ewing, Sols. for Complainant.
apr24-d4w

Administrators' Notice.

Estate of Walter P. Morgan, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrators of the estate of Walter P. Morgan, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that they will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1889

The People's Savings and Loan Association vs. Henry Christensen, Amanda J. Christensen, John H. Crocker, James H. Durfee, William W. Foster and James Mintier—In Chancery. Foreclosure.

Affidavit of the non-residence in said state of said Henry Christensen having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said circuit court, and that the residence of the said Amanda J. Christensen by due inquiry cannot be ascertained, notice is hereby given to each of you the said Henry Christensen and Amanda J. Christensen, that the above named complainant heretofore on the 23d day of April, A. D. 1889, filed its bill of complaint in the office of the Clerk of said court on the chancery side thereof, which said bill is still pending, that the summons thereupon issued out of said court against all of said defendants to the said bill, returnable on the first day of the next June term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county, on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1889. Now unless you, the said Henry Christensen and Amanda J. Christensen, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and the bill granted according to the prayer thereof.
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[Signed] E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
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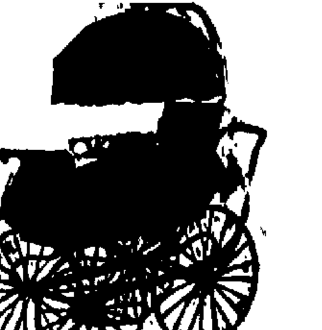

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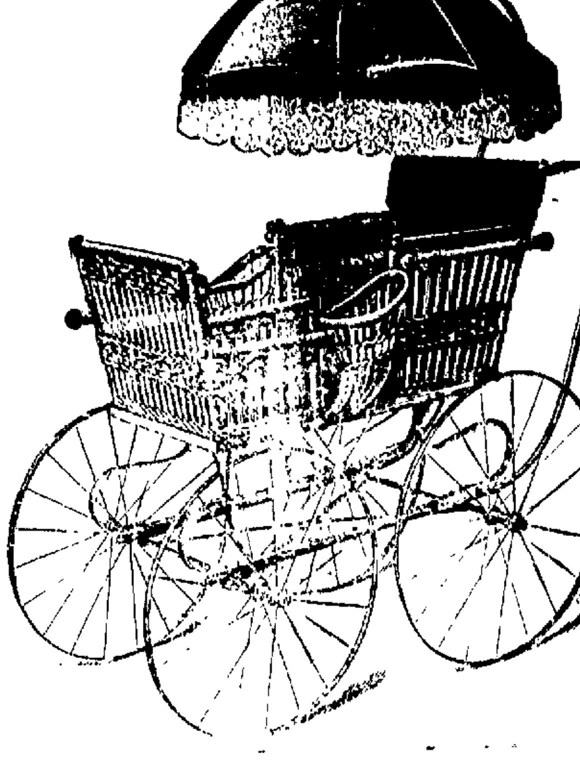

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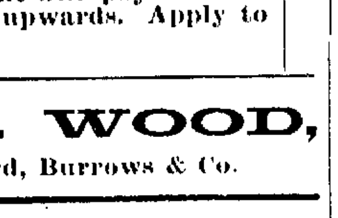

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery To June Term, A. D. 1889.

Fannie D. Delaney vs. James G. Delaney—Divorce.

Affidavit of the non-residence of James G. Delaney, having been filed in this cause, take notice that a bill has been filed in said court by Fannie D. Delaney, and said cause is now pending in said court, and a summons issued, returnable on the first day of the next term of said court, that being the third day of June, 1889, to be held in the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state.

Therefore, unless you, James G. Delaney, appear and demur, plead to, or answer and defend said bill of complaint, a default will be entered against you, and the allegations in said bill held confessed to be true.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
D. Hutchison, Complainant's Solicitor.
apr22-d4w

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. P.'s docket to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of H. E. Foster and against Edwin G. Hodge, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot Seven (7) in Block Four (4) in Carver's Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Edwin G. Hodge, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 17th day of April, A. D. 1889.
J. H. MAUZY,
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.
April17-d2w

Administrator's Notice for Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In the County Court of Said County to the May Term, A. D. 1889.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen J. Hogan, deceased.

To Milton Johnson, of Decatur, Illinois, as administrator of the estate of John Hogan, deceased, James A. Martin, of Calistoga, California, Samuel Clark, of Sidney, Illinois, Michael Clark and Charles Clark, of Decatur, Illinois, Mrs. Arabella Sites, of Brattan, Nebraska, Hugh Sultzenberger and Jacob Sites, his guardian, both of Decatur, Illinois, Ella Sultzenberger and Henry Sites, her guardian, both of Brattan, Nebraska, Abe Sultzenberger, of Decatur, Illinois, and Michael Sultzenberger and Michael Clark, his guardian, both of Decatur, Illinois. You are hereby notified that I have filed in said court, to said term, a final report of my acts and doings as the administrator of said estate, and that I will on Thursday, the 9th day of May, A. D. 1889, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, present the same to said court for adjudication of approval or disapproval, and will then ask the court to approve the same, and that I may discharged from all further liability as such administrator; when and where you may be present and except to said report if you see fit.
MILTON JOHNSON,
Administrator of the Estate of Ellen J. Hogan, Deceased. apr23-d2w

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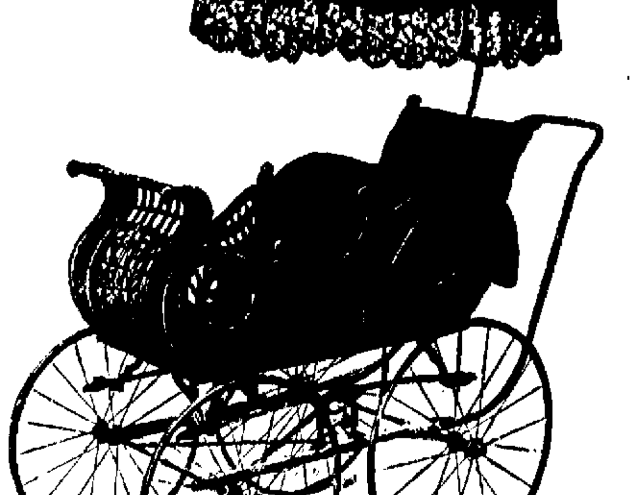

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